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ANNUAL REPORT
of the
RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES
of the
Town of Henniker
NEW HAMPSHIRE
For the Year Ending
February 15
1915

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OF THE

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OF THE

TOWN OF HENNIKER

TOGETHER WITH THE REPORTS OF THE

Selectmen, Treasurer, Collector, Road Agent, Auditors,
School Board, Board of Health, Town Clerk, Fire
Wardens, Janitor of Town Hall, Librarian and
Treasurer of Tucker Free Library, Water
Supply Committee and School Building
Committee

FOR THE

**FISCAL YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 15
1915**

ALSO

**VITAL STATISTICS FOR YEAR ENDING
DECEMBER 31, 1914**

MANCHESTER, N. H.

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TOWN OFFICERS.

Moderator.

Charles A. Wilkins.

Representative to General Court.

E. B. Young.

Selectmen and Overseers of the Poor.

Edward Connelly.

H. W. Balch.

H. L. Holmes.

Town Clerk.

W. N. Whitney.

Town Treasurer.

W. L. Childs.

Collector of Taxes.

Timothy Peasley.

Highway Agent.

Fred T. Connor.

Supervisors of Checklist.

J. H. Falvey.

W. H. Bean.

C. B. Childs.

Board of Health.

George H. Sanborn.

C. B. Childs.

John C. Cogswell.

Trustees of Tucker Free Library.

H. A. Emerson.	W. A. Connor.	G. C. Preston.
Jennie N. Dodge.	M. Marion Cole.	
George E. Chadwick.		

School Board.

George H. Sanborn.	George H. Dodge.
J. C. Cogswell.	

Fire Engineers.

J. E. Marshall.	H. L. Holmes.	C. I. Cole.
H. W. Balch.	H. A. Tucker.	

Forest Fire Warden.

H. A. Tucker.

Town Auditors.

W. O. Folsom.	W. A. Connor.
G. E. Chadwick.	

Police Officers.

A. W. Dow.	E. M. Clough.
J. E. Marshall.	

Dog Constable.

J. E. Marshall.

Sexton of Cemeteries.

C. R. Merrick,	Yard near Town House
C. H. Carter,	Yard near George H. Dodge's
C. R. Merrick,	Yard near E. P. Goss's
H. A. Tucker,	Colby Cemetery

Fence Viewers.

George H. Dodge	C. C. French
Charles P. Farrar.	

Surveyors of Wood, Bark and Lumber.

W. O. Folsom. W. A. Connor. S. Q. A. Newton.
Levi W. French. C. D. Robertson.
A. G. Preston.

Sealer of Weights and Measures.

C. A. Wilkins.

Janitor of Town Hall.

H. A. Tucker.

Truant Officer.

John H. Falvey.

TOWN WARRANT.

[L. S.] THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Henniker in the County of Merrimack in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at Town's Meeting House in said Henniker on Tuesday, the ninth day of March next, at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary town officers.
2. To receive and act upon the report of the water supply committee.
3. To see if the town will place the completion, management, control, and direction of its water works in a board of three or more water commissioners, and choose such water commissioners, designate their term of service, prescribe their powers and duties and fix their compensation.
4. To see if the town will authorize the water commissioners to borrow not exceeding one thousand dollars for the purpose of extending, improving and completing the water system.
5. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year, including electric lights, and make appropriation of the same.
6. To see how much money the town will vote to raise to repair highways and bridges.
7. To see how much money the town will vote to raise in addition to that required by law for the support of Tucker Free Library.
8. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate to defray the expense of observing Memorial Day.
9. To see how much money the town will vote to raise for the maintenance of the fire department.
10. To see if the town will vote to rescind the vote taken at the annual meeting of 1911, to raise \$150 for a reservoir

on the south side of the river and appropriate the same for the purchase of new fire apparatus.

11. To hear and act upon the reports of town officers, library trustees and committees.

12. To see how much money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the permanent improvement of highways, under the law passed at the January session, 1905.

13. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate to defray the expense of observing Old Home Week.

14. To see how much money the town will vote to raise for building and repairing sidewalks.

15. To see if the town will vote to build a new bridge at West Henniker, raise money for same or pass any vote relative thereto.

16. To see what action the town will take in regard to complying with a request contained in a codicil of the will of the late Harriet E. Wood.

Given under our hands and seal this twentieth day of February, in the year of our Lord, nineteen hundred and fifteen.

EDWARD CONNELLY,
HARRY L. HOLMES,
HARRY W. BALCH,
Selectmen of Henniker.

A true copy of warrant—Attest:

EDWARD CONNELLY,
HARRY L. HOLMES,
HARRY W. BALCH,
Selectmen of Henniker.

REPORT OF SELECTMEN.

The following report for the year ending February 15, 1915, is respectfully submitted.

EDWARD CONNELLY,
HARRY L. HOLMES,
HARRY W. BALCH,
Selectmen of Henniker.

TOWN VALUATION, APRIL 1, 1914.

Real estate	\$769,770.00
Horses, 319	32,625.00
Oxen, 45	4,360.00
Cows, 710	31,424.00
Neat stock, 130	3,657.00
Sheep, 53	292.00
Hogs, 13	215.00
Fowls, 794	497.00
Vehicles, including automobiles, 41.....	10,200.00
Portable mills, 21	2,600.00
Value of wood and lumber, not stock in trade	2,635.00
Value of stock in public funds.....	1,500.00
Bank stock in state.....	5,100.00
Money on hand and at interest.....	19,816.00
Stock in trade.....	43,650.00
Mills and machinery.....	73,400.00
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	\$1,001,741.00
Value of resident.....	892,264.00
Value of non-resident.....	109,477.00
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	\$1,001,741.00

Rate percent on \$100, \$1.78.

TAXES ASSESSED.

State tax	\$2,792.00
County tax	1,962.56
Town tax	13,076.43
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	\$17,830.99
392 poll taxes @ \$2.00.....	784.00

\$18,614.99

TAXES RAISED.

State tax	\$2,792.00
County tax	1,962.56
Town charges	1,000.00
Lighting streets	800.00
Library appropriation	212.20
Memorial Day appropriation.....	50.00
Fire department	250.00
Rebuilding school building.....	600.00
Text-books and supplies.....	300.00
Salaries of school officers.....	150.00
Support of schools.....	5,000.00
Insuring high school building.....	50.00
Repairing state highway.....	500.00
To secure state aid.....	1,605.00
Highways and bridges, $\frac{1}{4}$ of .01% valuation	2,504.35
Overlay	838.88

\$18,614.99

MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES.

Paid F. M. Cilley, labor on sidewalk and gutters	\$25.50
John P. Blackwood, care of engine house	27.50
Henry W. Searles, care of sidewalks	19.20
Edward Connelly, cash advanced for freight and express.....	12.57

Paid Henry E. Merrick, postage stamps..	\$8.00
F. H. Corser, team, taking inventory	3.75
R. A. Leckie, admr., printing, etc...	3.00
A. J. West, repairing fire eng. wheels	1.50
S. A. Bunnell, labor on roller and guide boards	23.11
W. O. Folsom, insurance on library..	108.75
W. H. Bean, 12 checklists.....	3.00
C. C. French, Memorial appropriation	50.00
Boston & Maine R. R., freight on crusher outfit	46.88
W. A. Balch, coal for engine house..	70.03
James L. Armstrong, labor on snow roller	6.00
Flanders & Chadwick, printing 700 reports	60.00
Flanders & Chadwick, printing and supplies	4.25
Edson C. Eastman, order and receipt books	8.55
C. I. Cole, examination in Manley case	5.00
Acme Road Machine Co., difference in crushing outfit	1,253.12
Page Belting Co., belt for crusher...	32.50
E. M. Clough, meals for primary and fall elections	15.96
H. A. Tucker, care of Colby cemetery	2.00
Mrs. H. A. Tucker, copying inventory	10.00
A. G. Fish, printing blanks.....	10.75
Storrs & Storrs, examination of bridges	76.20
Charles R. Merrick, care of Goss and Common cemeteries	10.50
H. W. Searles, labor at town hall and engine house	3.00
Owen Brady, labor on ditch.....	8.80
W. D. Driscoll, painting flag pole..	5.00
G. H. Brill, labor on sewer.....	11.54

Paid David Hammond, labor on sewer...	\$4.00
Edward Connelly, labor on sewer....	4.53
Charles H. Carter, care of Plummer cemetery	3.00
George E. Farrand, Treasurer, 1914 state tax	2,792.00
F. A. Holmes, Treasurer, 1914 county tax	1,962.56
George C. Preston, Treasurer, 1914 library appropriation	212.20
W. A. Balch, labor with team on sewer	9.87
George Hanson, labor on sewer....	12.00
C. C. C. Fire Hose Co., relining hose	60.64
Preston Bros. Co., sewer pipe, ce- ment, etc.	56.40
Annie Wescomb, cleaning Selectmen's rooms	1.25
H. L. Holmes, Col., water rent....	49.00
C. H. Parmenter, labor on sidewalks	36.10
C. A. Wilkins, voting booths.....	27.79
C. A. Wilkins, shaft for snowplow..	1.50
J. E. Marshall, supplies for engine house	1.75
Loan & Trust Savings Bank, cemetery funds	300.00
D. A. Maxwell, stationery.....	1.50
H. A. Shepard & Co., books and letter file	3.25
Edmund H. Brown, recording deeds	3.90
C. Pelissier & Co., pole straps.....	2.50
W. N. Whitney, dog license book and postage	2.98
W. N. Whitney, copying inventory..	8.00
W. N. Whitney, telephoning for the year	17.84
W. N. Whitney, overpaid on dog li- cense, 1913	1.00
Edward Connelly, desk for office....	23.44
Edward Connelly, perambulating town lines	6.25

Paid H. L. Holmes, perambulating town lines	\$13.00
H. W. Balch, perambulating town lines	14.50
Edward Connelly, supplies and cash advanced	9.00
F. H. Corser, driving hearse.....	40.00
W. L. Childs, cash advanced for postage	3.24
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	\$7,610.95

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT.

FRED T. CONNOR, AGENT.

Town appropriated	\$2,504.35
Received from selectmen	2,494.69

Unexpended	\$9.66
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Expended on highway as follows:

F. T. Connor, labor.....	\$230.75
F. T. Connor, teams.....	315.30
J. A. Parmenter, labor.....	143.50
W. E. Robinson, labor.....	85.71
George Rogers, labor.....	28.88
Joe Richardson, labor.....	60.55
F. M. Cilley, labor.....	134.01
T. E. Hooper, labor.....	94.99
E. J. Shaw, labor.....	17.75
Owen Brady, labor.....	110.71
Guy Brill, labor.....	73.77
W. D. Brill, Sr., labor.....	29.80
H. A. Davison, labor.....	19.00
Charles Martin, labor.....	52.99
Eugene Wood, labor.....	5.25
Walker McCabe, labor.....	1.76
George Twist, labor.....	22.00
Lawson Smith, labor.....	32.56
Cyrus Jones, labor.....	4.50
W. F. Flanders, labor.....	7.40

Paid David Hammond, labor.....	\$6.00
H. A. Tucker, labor.....	26.00
Archie Tandy, labor.....	1.75
A. W. Sanborn, labor.....	30.00
Harry Robertson, labor.....	22.00
John Banks, labor.....	10.55
Wallace Sawyer, labor.....	6.00
Will Rowe, labor.....	4.00
F. G. Armstrong, labor.....	2.00
Walter Beard, labor.....	25.00
Henry Huntington, labor.....	10.10
William Nicholson, labor.....	1.80
Tony, Italian, labor.....	3.55
Ira Hardy, labor.....	4.00
John Wood, labor.....	1.50
Charles Ray, labor.....	3.00
George Wyman, labor.....	2.00
John Fellows, labor.....	1.00
W. D. Brill, Jr., and team.....	278.25
F. A. Sargent and team.....	114.75
H. L. Holmes, team and man.....	110.00
W. A. Balch, team and man.....	14.63
John Connor and team.....	9.00
Jasper Clark and team.....	27.00
A. E. Choate, team and man.....	2.50
A. C. Graves, freight.....	.30
United Construction Co., 2 drags, etc.....	52.00
Preston Bros. Co., tile, paint and supplies	124.03
W. A. Balch, coal.....	5.78
J. L. Armstrong, blacksmith.....	23.05
A. J. West, blacksmith.....	2.55
Fred Atwood, wood.....	6.67
Edward Connelly, supplies.....	24.25
C. A. Wilkins, lumber.....	51.25
John C. Clark, grade.....	3.25
E. N. Cogswell, grade.....	10.00
A. M. Mathews, grade.....	3.00
Gilbert Cota, grade.....	1.00

 \$2,494.69

Unexpended	9.66
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 \$2,504.35

STATE HIGHWAY in account with Fred T. Connor,
Agent, 1914:

Amount raised to secure state aid.....	\$1,070.00
Amount set aside to secure state aid.....	535.00
State contribution	401.25
Total joint fund.....	<hr/> \$2,006.25
Town's disbursements	\$1,565.44
State's disbursements	391.37
Total disbursements	<hr/> 1,956.81
Unexpended	49.44
	<hr/> \$2,006.25
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Accounted for as follows:

F. T. Connor, labor.....	\$93.00
F. T. Connor, teams.....	244.75
F. M. Cilley, labor.....	54.00
Lawson Smith, labor.....	54.00
E. J. Shaw, teamster.....	40.56
Owen Brady, labor.....	42.80
W. D. Brill, Sr., labor.....	52.70
Guy Brill, labor.....	42.00
T. E. Hooper, labor.....	18.00
Harry Robertson, teamster.....	56.00
John Banks, labor.....	46.80
Wallace Sawyer, labor.....	26.00
Joe Richardson, labor.....	58.00
John Blackwood, labor.....	42.00
Charles Martin, labor.....	18.00
Ed. Farrell, labor.....	27.00
Frank Flanders, labor.....	60.00
Will Rowe, labor.....	58.00
Harry A. Tucker, labor.....	52.00
Frank Tucker, labor.....	9.00
J. A. Parmenter, teamster.....	34.00
W. D. Brill, Jr., and team.....	163.50

F. A. Sargent and team.....	\$126.00
H. Younge, oxen and man.....	40.00
Ira Hardy, teamster.....	52.00
Elmer Fowler, labor.....	5.40
Joe Coupal, labor.....	30.60
Cyrus Jones, labor.....	9.00
N. Greenwood, labor.....	23.40
Walter Beard, labor.....	36.00
George Bagley, labor.....	24.00
David Hammond, labor.....	1.80
Walter Armstrong, labor.....	3.60
F. G. Armstrong, labor.....	24.00
William Nicholson, labor.....	20.70
Carrol Colcord, labor.....	19.80
Tom White, labor.....	3.60
John White, labor.....	3.60
John Brown, labor.....	12.60
Tony (Italian), labor.....	17.10
Eugene Wood, labor.....	9.00
John Simonds, blacksmith.....	21.15
Arthur W. Sanborn, labor.....	6.00
Bacon Bros., dynamite.....	18.65
Preston Bros. Co., supplies.....	24.30
J. L. Armstrong, blacksmith.....	15.85
Edw. Connelly.....	1.48
E. N. Cogswell, grade.....	30.00
A. G. Preston, grade.....	13.00
Ida Barnes, grade.....	7.00
State engineering, etc.	69.07
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	\$1,956.81
Unexpended	49.44
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	\$2,006.25

STATE MAINTENANCE ACCOUNT.

Amount raised by town.....	\$770.97
Amount appropriated by state.....	770.97
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	\$1,541.94
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Amount paid by town.....	\$770.97
Amount paid by state.....	717.82
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Total joint fund expended.....	\$1,488.79
Balance in state treasury.....	53.15
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	\$1,541.94
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Accounted for as follows:

Paid Fred T. Connor, labor.....	\$16.25
F. T. Connor, teams.....	7.50
J. A. Parmenter, teamster.....	5.00
F. M. Cilley, labor.....	4.38
Owen Brady, labor.....	2.63
W. E. Robinson, labor.....	.88
Guy Brill, labor.....	2.00
Charles Martin, labor	6.13
Lanson Smith, labor	7.00
T. E. Hooper, labor.....	.88
W. D. Brill, Jr., and team.....	2.50
F. A. Sargent and team.....	2.25
A. C. Graves, freight.....	13.93
Roland B. Strong, oiling road.....	100.00
Walter Cressy, oiling road.....	650.72
Albany Belting & Supply Co., oil heater	70.00
by state for engineering	30.77
by state for oil	65.97
by state for oiling to M. Cressey..	500.00
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	\$1,488.79
Balance in state treasury.....	53.15
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	\$1,541.94

BREAKING ROADS.

Paid John H. Fellows.....	\$11.40
C. D. Robertson.....	3.00
E. B. McCabe.....	14.75
T. D. Watson.....	6.00

Paid Frank L. Durgin.....	\$12.60
H. L. Herrick.....	25.40
Fred T. Connor.....	298.65
M. W. Morse.....	56.90
George R. Moore.....	36.60
W. F. Maguire.....	10.50
Alberto Buxton	24.40
H. C. Hadley.....	3.70
D. J. Hatch.....	6.00
Charles J. Dow.....	14.80
Iddo Z. Morrison.....	2.00
Ben F. Labier.....	28.60
H. C. Gammell.....	6.20
Walter M. Connor.....	7.50
W. H. Beard.....	21.55
A. J. Parker.....	13.40
J. H. Clark.....	30.15
George W. Patterson.....	11.60
W. C. Goss.....	3.10
L. W. French.....	28.75
Mary Morse	20.80
Arthur N. Huntington.....	3.45
F. J. Peabody.....	2.30
H. W. Searles.....	1.50
H. R. Rice.....	40.20
J. H. Savage.....	22.10
Bacon Bros.	14.55
F. I. Morse.....	8.00
F. W. Dowlin.....	25.20
John McConish	15.60
Elmer E. Buxton.....	11.60
J. J. Huntington.....	13.70
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	\$856.55

SCHOOL SUPPLIES AND APPROPRIATIONS.

1914 appropriation for schools.....	\$6,232.42
1913 appropriation for school building...	600.00
1914 appropriation for school building...	600.00
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	\$7,432.42
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Paid C. B. Childs, Treasurer, school ap- propriation	\$6,232.42
George H. Dodge, Treasurer, school building appropriation	1,200.00
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	\$7,432.42

ABATEMENTS.

Paid T. Peasley, Collector, abatements as follows:

A. J. Moody, paid in Sutton.....	\$3.56
Charles McConish, paid in Weare.....	8.46
H. W. Rand, paid in Sutton.....	2.67
Ed. Dow, unable to pay.....	2.00
C. G. Halladay, died.....	2.00
O. J. Presby, paid in Hillsborough.....	2.00
John Giddings, 1913 tax, left town.....	4.50
J. G. Manhart, 1913 tax, left town.....	1.80
Clarence Osgood, 1913 tax, left town.....	1.80
H. S. Merrill	1.80
Walter Greenleaf, 1913 tax, left town.....	1.80
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	\$32.39

RETURNING BIRTHS AND DEATHS.

Paid Walter L. Kelso, M. D.....	\$0.75
C. I. Cole, M. D.....	7.50
W. P. Grimes, M. D.....	.25
W. H. Tarbell, M. D.....	.25
George H. Sanborn.....	4.00
W. H. Abbott.....	1.00
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	\$13.75

RECORDING BIRTHS, DEATHS AND MARRIAGES.

Paid W. N. Whitney.....	\$11.25
W. N. Whitney, obtaining names of chil- dren	3.00
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	\$14.25

BOARD OF HEALTH.

Paid George H. Sanborn.....	\$30.68
Preston Bros. Co.....	11.77
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	\$42.45

TOWN OFFICERS.

Paid W. O. Folsom, services of auditors.....	\$6.00
Edward Connelly, services as selectman..	180.48
H. A. Tucker, services as selectman....	11.25
H. L. Holmes, services as selectman....	172.79
H. W. Balch, services as selectman.....	108.39
W. L. Childs, services as treasurer.....	70.00
C. B. Childs, services as supervisor.....	38.00
John H. Falvey, services as supervisor..	40.00
W. H. Bean, services as supervisor.....	30.00
Timothy Peasley, services as tax collector	135.00
Geo. E. Chadwick, services as ballot clerk	4.00
E. N. Cogswell, services as ballot clerk..	2.00
F. R. Atwood, services as ballot clerk...	2.00
A. D. Huntoon, services as ballot clerk..	2.00
John A. Connelly, services as ballot clerk	4.00
Fred T. Connor, services as ballot clerk..	2.00
W. N. Whitney, services as town clerk..	30.00
C. A. Wilkins, services as moderator....	13.00
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	\$850.91

ELECTRIC LIGHTS.

Paid W. P. Grimes, treasurer, lighting streets..	\$1,046.50
W. P. Grimes, treasurer, lighting engine house	12.71
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	\$1,059.21

PUBLIC DUMP.

Paid G. S. Andrews.....	\$41.25
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SUPPORT OF WATERING TROUGHS.

Paid M. W. Morse, year 1913.....	\$2.00
Dow & Carnes, one year to Nov. 1, 1914..	3.00
H. A. Gordon, one year to Jan. 1, 1915..	1.00
Gilbert Cote, one year to Jan. 1, 1915...	2.00
John A. Wood, one year to Jan. 1, 1915	2.00
H. L. Moody, one year to Jan. 1, 1915..	2.00
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	\$12.00

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Paid J. E. Marshall.....	\$11.00
E. M. Clough.....	6.00
A. W. Dow.....	13.50
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	\$30.50

BOUNTY ON HEDGEHOGS.

Paid for 98 heads @ 20c.....	\$19.60
Received from state for same.....	\$19.60

CARE OF TRAMPS.

Paid J. O. Boody and estate, care of 44 @ 25c	\$11.00
J. E. Marshall, care of 7 @ 25c.....	1.75
John P. Blackwood, care of 251 at 25c..	62.75
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	\$75.50

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Appropriation	\$250.00
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Paid F. H. Corser, team to Merrill fire.....	\$1.00
F. H. Corser, team to Favor fire.....	2.50
F. H. Corser, team to Huntoon fire....	1.00
J. E. Marshall, expense to Robertson fire	8.60
Holmes & Choate, plank for wells.....	18.56
J. E. Marshall, labor and material on wells	11.46
J. E. Marshall, services of fire engineers	17.00
W. L. Childs, pay-roll for firemen.....	150.00
W. L. Childs, expense of fires.....	125.90
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	\$336.02

FOREST FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Paid Harry A. Tucker, warden:	
Fire on Cote land	\$144.67
Fire on Bear Hill	36.85
Fire on Weare road	5.75
Fire on Barton and French land	12.60
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	\$199.87

JANITOR'S REPORT.

TOWN HALL, 1914-1915.

H. A. Tucker in account with Town of Henniker:

Dr.

To cash received for rent of town hall from February 15, 1914, to February 15, 1915..	\$185.50
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By cash paid H. A. Tucker, janitor	\$50.25
By cash paid labor and supplies...	22.15
By cash paid electric lights.....	41.15
By balance paid town treasurer...	71.95
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	\$185.50

MEMORIAL DAY.

C. C. French, agent to expend Memorial Day appropriation for 1914, respectfully submits the following report:

To town appropriation:.....	\$50.00
cash received from J. C. Kilburn, 1914 ap- propriation	6.30
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	\$56.30

Paid F. H. Corser, team.....	\$3.00
Ada Nelson, washing dishes....	1.50
Dorothy Walker, singing, train- ing music, etc.....	10.00
W. A. Connor, paper.....	.48
L. H. Andrews, making wreaths	1.00
G. G. Nelson, making wreaths..	1.00
Preston Bros. Co., flags and supplies	19.42
W. C. Goss, music.....	7.00
F. M. Buker, orator.....	10.50
Cash on hand.....	2.40
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	\$56.30

RECORD OF LICENSED DOGS.

Walter N. Whitney as town clerk submits the following report for the year ending February 15, 1915:

Number of male dogs licensed, 74.	
Received for same.....	\$148.00
Number of female dogs licensed, 17.	
Received for same.....	85.00
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	\$233.00
Paid W. L. Childs, Treasurer.....	\$214.80
Town clerk's commission @ 20c....	18.20
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	\$233.00

We hereby certify that we have examined the foregoing account of Walter N. Whitney and find the same correctly cast and properly vouched.

W. O. FOLSOM,
W. A. CONNOR,
G. E. CHADWICK,
Auditors.

HENNIKER, N. H., February 15, 1915.

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT.

To collect April 1, 1914.....	\$18,618.99
Amount collected	17,735.00
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Amount uncollected February 15, 1915.	\$883.99
Uncollected as per report 1914.....	\$1,020.00
Collected during year.....	895.00
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Uncollected previous years.....	\$125.00
Total uncollected	\$1,008.99

Interest collected during year.....	\$116.18
Collected moth nests.....	111.45
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Amount paid treasurer.....	\$227.63
Respectfully submitted,	
TIMOTHY PEASLEY.	

TOWN AID TO POOR.

Paid Milton Kimball, aid furnished.....	\$72.00
George H. Sanborn, medical attend- ance	5.75
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	\$77.75
Harriet Wood—	
Pair Merrimack County for board and care	\$23.57

COUNTY PAUPERS.

Charles A. Manley—	
Paid H. L. Holmes, burial expenses...	\$35.00
James Moore—	
Paid W. L. Childs, clothing.....	8.95
W. N. Whitney, medicine.....	2.25
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	\$46.20
By cash received from county.....	\$46.20

COLLECTING MOTH NESTS.

Paid Harry A. Tucker, cash paid help....	\$483.42
Chas. W. Martin for property owners	10.00
H. W. Balch for property owners...	62.80
Edward Connelly for property owners	49.75
Geo. H. Savage for property owners.	7.00
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	\$612.97
Received from property owners.....	122.10
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	\$490.87

OLD HOME WEEK ASSOCIATION.

Josiah W. Emery estate, bank book No. 4486, Hillsborough Bridge Guarantee Savings Bank, last dividend Apr. 30, 1913	\$19.59
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NOTES AND INTEREST.

Paid Alonzo Robbins note.....	\$450.00
Alonzo Robbins payment on note...	275.00
Abby J. Hadley, payment on note..	50.00
Alonzo Robbins, payment on note...	75.00
Alonzo Robbins, note and interest...	226.54
Alonzo Robbins, note and interest..	227.44
Alonzo Robbins, payment on note...	1,000.00
First National Bank, 5 notes and int.	4,571.67
Edna Constantine, interest on note..	3.00
Frank J. Constantine, int. on notes.	78.03
Martha Cheney, interest on note....	7.20
Delia Dowling, interest on note....	16.05
Eva M. Gordon, interest on note....	3.00
Mary A. Farrar, interest on note...	3.75
Julia A. Hanson, interest on note..	12.10
Hattie F. Holden, interest on note..	15.44
Marietta Poor, interest on note....	47.20
Al M. Brown, interest on note.....	4.50
Alonzo Robbins, interest on notes...	36.76
Abby J. Hadley, interest on notes...	15.23
Abby J. Hadley, payment on note...	100.00
Hattie M. Chase, interest on note...	4.50
Ella M. Howlett, note and interest..	360.50
George W. Sargent, interest on note..	7.37
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	\$7,590.28

OUTSTANDING TOWN NOTES.

Edna Constantine	\$100.00
Frank J. Constantine.....	601.11
Frank J. Constantine.....	2,000.00
Martha Cheney	240.00

Delia Dowling	\$535.00
Eva M. Gordon.....	100.00
Mary A. Farrar.....	125.08
Julia A. Hanson.....	200.00
Julia A. Hanson.....	103.50
Julia A. Hanson.....	100.00
Hattie F. Holder.....	214.65
Hattie F. Holder.....	300.00
J. J. Huntington.....	1,111.19
Marietta Poor	1,573.42
Adelaid M. Brown.....	150.00
Alonzo Robbins	550.00
Alonzo Robbins	200.00
Abby J. Hadley.....	400.00
Hattie M. Chase.....	150.00
Ella M. Cleveland.....	350.00
George W. Sargent.....	500.00

\$9,603.95

REPORT OF TREASURER.

To cash on hand February 15, 1914.....	\$5,899.78
Received from—	
Timothy Peasley, tax collector, tax 1914	17,735.00
Timothy Peasley, tax collector, tax 1913	503.78
Timothy Peasley, tax collector, tax 1911, 1912, 1913	391.22
Timothy Peasley, tax collector, subse- quent tax	2.00
Timothy Peasley, tax collector, interest..	116.18
Timothy Peasley, tax collector, moth nests collected by town.....	111.45
Selectmen, Alonzo Robbins note.....	500.00
Selectmen, George W. Sargent note....	500.00
Selectmen, First National Bank notes..	4,500.00
Selectmen, Nathan Carter, cemetery trust fund	100.00
Selectmen, Fannie M. Whitcomb, ceme- tery trust fund.....	100.00
Selectmen, William D. Harwood, ceme- tery trust fund.....	100.00
Selectmen, interest, cemetery trust fund.	94.20
Selectmen, Eva Barnes, privilege of con- necting with sewer.....	30.70
Selectmen, F. H. Corser, privilege of connecting with sewer.....	25.00
Selectmen, county paupers	46.20
Selectmen, moth nests collected for prop- erty owners	10.65
Selectmen, bounty on hedgehogs.....	19.60
Selectmen, maintenance of state aid roads	121.08
Selectmen, state highway appropriation.	322.30

Selectmen, Forestry Department, fire bills	\$90.76
Selectmen, G. C. Preston, ex. Harriet Wood estate	273.81
Selectmen, insurance tax	230.25
Selectmen, railroad tax	1,370.38
Selectmen, savings bank tax	3,165.29
Selectmen, literary fund	149.82
Selectmen, school fund	345.00
Selectmen, Susi & Williams, use of stone crusher	5.00
Selectmen, show license	9.00
Selectmen, Ella Cleveland note	350.00
Selectmen, H. A. Shepard & Co., overpaid account	3.25
Selectmen, unexpended water appropriation	63.04
W. N. Whitney, dog license money	214.80
W. N. Whitney, candidate fee for primary	14.00
H. A. Tucker, janitor of town hall	71.95
State License Commissioners, 1913-1914	6.47
State License Commissioners, 1914-1915	38.25
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	\$37,630.21
Total expenditures by Selectmen's orders ..	32,808.62
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Cash on hand February 15, 1915	\$4,821.59

REPORT OF TOWN OFFICERS FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 15, 1915.

RECEIPTS.

Cash on hand February 15, 1914	\$5,899.78
Total receipts for the year	31,730.43
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	\$37,630.21

DISBURSEMENTS.

Paid during year.....	\$32,808.62
Cash on hand February 15, 1915.....	4,821.59
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	\$37,630.21
Liabilities February 15, 1914.....	\$11,721.59
Assets February 15, 1914.....	7,161.62
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Balance against the town Feb. 15, 1914	\$4,559.97

FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF THE TOWN FEBRUARY 15, 1915.

LIABILITIES.

Outstanding town notes.....	\$9,603.95	
1911 reservoir appropriation unexpended	150.00	
1914 highway money unexpended	9.66	
1914 state highway money unexpended	39.56	
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ASSETS.

Due from Geo. A. Twiss note..	\$185.26	
Due from state for forest fires	76.24	
1914 uncollected taxes, T. Peasley, Col.	883.99	
1913 uncollected taxes, T. Peasley, Col.	125.00	
Cash on hand Feb. 15, 1915..	4,821.59	
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Balance against the town Feb. 15, 1915		\$3,711.09

Town's indebtedness Feb. 15, 1914.....	\$4,559.97
Town's indebtedness Feb. 15, 1915.....	3,711.09
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Town's debt decreased during year.....	\$848.88

ORDERS PAID.

Miscellaneous expenses	\$7,610.95
Highway department	2,494.69
State highway department.....	1,887.74
State maintenance	892.05
Breaking roads	856.55
Support of schools.....	6,332.42
School building account.....	1,200.00
Police department	30.50
Tramp department	75.50
Abatement and overtax.....	32.39
Town officers	850.91
Electric lights	1,059.21
Public dump	41.25
Fire department	336.02
Board of health.....	42.45
Returning births and deaths.....	13.75
Recording births and deaths and marriages	14.25
Support of watering troughs.....	12.00
Town aid to poor.....	101.32
County paupers	46.20
Notes and interest.....	7,590.28
Cemetery trust funds.....	55.75
Collecting moth nests.....	612.97
Bounty on hedgehogs.....	19.60
Forest fires	199.87
Water appropriation	500.00
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	\$32,808.62

REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF CEMETERIES.

CEMETERY TRUST FUNDS.

The following funds have been placed in the care of the town in trust, the income to be expended in the care of the various lots in cemeteries within the town, agreeably to chapter 51 of the public statutes, and a resolution of the town adopted at its annual meeting, March 10, 1903.

	Amount left in trust	Annual income	Total income including balance from 1914	Paid in compliance with trust during year	Balance of unexpended income, Feb. 15 1915
Geo. W. Plummer.....	\$ 200.00	\$ 7.00	\$ 25.60	Chas. H. Carter	\$ 2.00 \$ 23.60
Cowdry Legacy.....	50.00	1.75	4.55	" " "	2.00 2.55
Ira Plummer.....	50.00	1.75	4.49	" " "	1.75 2.74
P. P. Patch.....	80.26	2.81	5.26	" " "	1.00 4.26
Betsey E. Flanders....	100.00	3.50	5.37	" " "	2.00 3.37
Geo. W. Tucker.....	100.00	3.50	11.25	Chas. R. Merrick	2.60 8.65
Rufus Howe.....	200.00	7.00	16.84	" " "	6.50 10.34
Charles Bowman.....	50.00	1.75	5.34		5.34
Lucy Connor.....	200.00	7.00	20.54	" " "	4.35 16.19
Mark Dustin.....	100.00	3.50	6.66		6.66
Mary S. Cogswell.....	100.00	3.50	7.04	" " "	3.00 4.04
Almina Cook.....	50.00	1.75	2.99	" " "	2.40 .59
Sarah M. Morse.....	100.00	3.50	7.86	" " "	2.95 4.41
Edna Dean Proctor....	100.00	7.00	16.88	" " "	4.00 12.88
Sarah P. Richardson...	250.00	8.75	26.40	" " "	3.60 22.80
Fidelia H. Carter.....	100.00	3.50	6.03	" " "	2.80 3.23
Edwin B. Howe.....	100.00	3.50	6.50	" " "	2.80 3.70
Nahum Newton.....	50.00	1.75	2.13	" " "	2.00 .13
Albert Clark.....	100.00	3.50	6.83	" " "	3.05 3.78
Addie F. Cogswell....	50.00	1.75	2.30	" " "	2.00 .30
Mary C. T. Wadsworth	50.00	1.75	2.60	" " "	2.55 .05
Jennie F. Nutter.....	75.00	2.62	4.37	" " "	2.40 1.97
Nathan Carter..... Received May 13, 1914	100.00	3.50	2.06		2.06
Fannie M. Whitcomb.. Received Sept. 9, 1914	100.00	3.50	1.50		1.50
William D. Harwood... Received Jan. 16, 1915	100.00	3.50	.29		.29
Totals	\$2655.26	\$92.93	\$201.18		\$55.75 \$145.43

\$2355.26 deposited in New Hampshire Savings Bank, Concord, N. H.
 \$300.00 deposited in Loan and Trust Savings Bank, Concord, N. H.

AUDITORS' REPORT.

We, the undersigned, Auditors of the town of Henniker, hereby certify that we have examined the foregoing accounts of the selectmen, town clerk, town treasurer, collector of taxes, janitor of the town hall, agent of Memorial Day appropriation, the bank book of the Old Home Week Association, highway agent, agent for construction of state highway, agent state highway maintenance, statement of trustees of Tucker Free Library, including securities, treasurer of the trustees, water construction committee, the account of committee to investigate water supply, also collector of water rents; find same correctly cast and properly vouched.

W. O. FOLSOM,
W. A. CONNOR,
G. E. CHADWICK,

Auditors.

HENNIKER, February 15, 1915.

REPORT OF BOARD OF HEALTH.

The general health of the town the past year has been very good and we have been unusually free from epidemic and contagious diseases.

A quite extensive epidemic of mumps the present winter, which has kept many children from school for a time and has been quite serious with some of the older patients, suggests to this board the query whether this disease ought not to be classed with other contagious diseases and quarantine established against it.

One case of scarlet fever has appeared, from an unknown source, which has involved the usual restrictive measures required by law.

Unless all the people soon learn that the quarantine law demands the respect due to its importance, some will have to be taught that its violation involves severe penalties.

GEORGE H. SANBORN,
JOHN C. COGSWELL,
CURTIS B. CHILDS,
Board of Health.

REPORT OF FIRE ENGINEERS.

Your fire department has answered to five bell alarms during the past year and to a lesser number of still alarms for chimney fires, etc., than usual. The total fire loss for the year was \$6,025 against \$2,750 in the year ending February 15, 1914. Only one total loss was recorded and that for farm buildings at a distance from the village.

The introduction of a hydrant system this past year should tend to reduce losses in the area protected to a minimum figure. However, to obtain the best results and reduce the present fire hazard, it will be necessary to put in service some new apparatus.

Your board would make the following recommendations with that end in view:

First, to rescind the vote taken at the annual meeting in 1910 to raise \$150 for a reservoir on the south side of the river and appropriate the same for the purchase of new apparatus. This entails no additional hardship on the taxpayer, as it has been raised and is now in the town treasury.

Second, the establishment of at least a hose reel at the following points: At West Henniker, Wilkins Mill and on the south side of the river in a suitable location, in addition to the present apparatus at the engine house.

Third, the early establishment of a fire alarm system, the present ringing of bells and blowing of whistles being confusing and at times not easily heard in different sections of the village.

It will be conceded that the moments saved after the discovery of a fire are the most valuable ones. Owing to the extensive telephone system in town, which may be used, the fire alarm system need not be an expensive one. It

should include, however, a whistle or bell that may be heard at a distance and be in tone unmistakable.

J. E. MARSHALL,

C. I. COLE,

H. L. HOLMES,

H. W. BALCH,

H. A. TUCKER,

Board of Fire Engineers.

TOWN'S WATER APPROPRIATION ACCOUNT.

As treasurer of the committee to investigate the water condition and facilities in town with a view to provide for an adequate supply, I herewith submit the following report:

Received of selectmen, town appropriation	\$500.00
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Expended as follows:

Paid Wm. S. Johnson, services as engineer	\$200.00
E. N. Cogswell, cash paid out.....	18.97
H. L. Holmes, cash paid out.....	8.31
Carl N. Dodge, auto hire.....	5.00
C. W. Rowe, auto hire.....	2.50
A. E. Choate, expense of committee visiting water works plants in Mass.	64.18
F. H. Corser, auto hire.....	3.00
J. P. Melzer, printing.....	1.50
C. W. Rowe, auto hire.....	7.50
M. W. Morse, time spent with com- mittee	1.00
Samuel Usher, printing reports.....	125.00
Cash paid selectmen to balance.....	63.04
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	\$500.00

A. E. CHOATE,
Treasurer of Committee.

FIRST ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

Water Supply Committee

OF THE

TOWN OF HENNIKER

FOR THE

YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 15, 1915

**VOTES PASSED AT ADJOURNED TOWN MEETING
HELD JUNE 27, 1914, AUTHORIZING
THE TOWN OF HENNIKER TO ESTABLISH
A SYSTEM OF PUBLIC
WATER WORKS.**

Report of Water Supply Committee was made by E. N. Cogswell as printed, and letters from Irving A. Watson, Chairman State Board of Health, and Charles D. Howard, State Chemist, approving the proposed water system as submitted by William S. Johnson, engineer, were presented.

VOTED, That the reports of the committee as printed be accepted.

On motion of A. G. Preston it was VOTED, That the town of Henniker, in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 126 of New Hampshire Laws of 1907, proceed to construct, manage, maintain and own suitable water works for the purpose of introducing into and distributing through said town, as far as practicable, an adequate supply of water for extinguishing fires and for the use of its citizens and others, and for such other public, private and mechanical purposes as the town may from time to time authorize and direct; and that the provisions of said chapter 126 of the Laws of 1907 be adopted by the town so far as may be necessary or convenient in order to carry into effect the purposes of this vote or any other vote which may be passed at this or any subsequent meeting of the town in relation to said subject.

On motion of George H. Sanborn it was VOTED, That the recommendations in the report of the Water Supply Committee as submitted to the town be approved and that in pursuance thereof said committee be continued in office and authorized and directed to proceed to acquire property and rights needed for constructing and establishing a system of water works substantially on the lines recommended in said report at an aggregate cost of not exceeding \$50,000, giving said committee discretion to make such modifications in said plans as they may deem proper, and to receive bids, make contracts, purchase machinery and materials and

do all other things necessary or convenient in the acquisition, construction and establishing of such system of water works, giving to said committee full authority on behalf of the town to construct said system of water works, and when completed to establish rules and regulations for the use of water and to establish rates therefor as they may deem advisable, and to employ such agents and assistance as they may deem requisite therefor. Said committee to file their report at the next annual town meeting, giving full details of their doings in said matter.

On motion of George A. Woods it was VOTED, That the town accept the terms of the agreement of the stockholders of the Henniker Spring Water Co., dated April 29, 1914, a copy of which is attached to the report of the Water Supply Committee, and authorize E. N. Cogswell, Chairman of said Water Supply Committee, and in his absence any other member of said committee, to notify the president or treasurer of said Henniker Spring Water Company in writing delivered to him in hand or mailed to him postpaid on or before September 1, 1914, of its acceptance of said terms; and said committee is hereby expressly authorized to purchase the stock of said Henniker Spring Water Co. in accordance with the terms of said agreement, and also to purchase the stock of any other stockholder who has not become a party to said agreement upon the same terms as therein expressed, and pay for said stock out of the proceeds of the bonds to be authorized at this meeting; and said committee is authorized to receive transfer of said stock and thereafter on behalf of the town to hold said stock and to exercise on its behalf all the rights of stockholders in said company.

On motion of Fred T. Connor it was VOTED, That the town borrow and hire on credit of the town such sums as may be necessary, not exceeding however the aggregate amount of \$50,000, not including premiums which may be received on bonds, for the purpose of defraying the expenses of purchasing real estate, rights in real estate, water rights, springs and other rights and property required for or in connection with said water works and for constructing said water works and putting the same into operation; and that the town issue its bonds, to be known as water bonds, for the amount of money so borrowed, not exceeding the limit aforesaid, payable \$5,000 in ten years, \$10,000 in fifteen years, \$10,000 in twenty years, \$10,000 in twenty-five years, and the remainder not exceeding \$15,000 in thirty years, from

dates, with interest thereon at the rate of four per cent, payable annually or semi-annually as may be determined by the Selectmen,—the bonds to be of such denomination as they may think proper; that all said bonds be exempted from taxation when held by inhabitants of said town; that said bonds be signed on behalf of the town by the Selectmen and countersigned by the Treasurer; that the Water Supply Committee be authorized to sell said bonds at such price, not less than par, as they shall deem proper; and that said committee be further authorized to determine any other provisions of said bonds not inconsistent with the terms of this vote.

On motion of George H. Dodge it was VOTED, That the Town Treasurer be authorized to receive the funds derived from the sale of bonds voted at this meeting, and to pay from the same all bills and vouchers approved by the Water Supply Committee or a majority thereof.

WATER SUPPLY COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

To the Citizens of the Town of Henniker:

The Water Supply Committee herein present their first annual report showing the expenditures of money under the vote of the town to construct a system of public water works.

At a meeting of the Water Supply Committee held Saturday evening, June 27, 1914, it was voted to employ William S. Johnson as engineer to supervise the installation and construction of the water works upon plans for which he had already prepared.

Believing it to be the wish of every citizen of the town that an efficient and durable water system be constructed, it has been our study that the construction when completed would be equal if not better than any plant in the state. Careful investigation and consideration upon all matters pertaining to the construction has been our aim, and at all times to faithfully discharge the duties connected with the office. Accordingly, all materials, machinery and construction of every detail are of the best quality, pipe being purchased at a very low price.

The construction is substantially completed. The future work necessary for final completion is contained in the report of Mr. Johnson. The committee unanimously endorse what he recommends as being necessary to finally complete the system.

CONSTRUCTION.

Specifications with instructions to submit bids were sent out in July to the principal contractors for supplying cast-iron pipe and laying the same, for building a pumping station, reservoir and well, and for furnishing and installing pumping machinery.

Bids for furnishing cast-iron pipes and special castings were received and opened Saturday, July 3, 1914, at the Selectmen's office.

Following is canvass of bids received :

Name of Bidders	158 Tons, 10 in. per Ton	133 Tons 8 in. per Ton	317 Tons 6 in. per Ton	12 Tons Special Castings per Ton	Amount
Donaldson Iron Co.....	\$21.65	\$21.65	\$23.00	\$52.50	\$14,220.15
U. S. Cast Iron P. Ba. and Foundry Co. all straight pipe.....	22.65	22.90	23.40	55.00	14,702.20
Warren Foundry & Machinery Co.....	22.25	22.25	22.25	50.00	14,128.00
R. D. Wood Co., all straight pipe.....	21.70	21.70	21.70	55.00	13,853.60
Standard Cast Iron Pipe and Foundry Co., all straight pipe.....	21.70	21.70	21.70	54.70	13,850.00

Canvass of bids for hydrants, gates, gate boxes and wrenches. Bids opened July 11, 1914:

47 5-inch hydrants with 2½-inch hose connection, 12 hydrant wrenches to be included.

6 12-inch gates.

6 10-inch gates.

8 8-inch gates.

26 6-inch gates.

4 3-inch gates.

53 hydrants in all were installed.

42 gate boxes.

4 gate wrenches.

All gates suitable for working pressure of 100 pounds per square inch.

Following is canvass of bids submitted:

Name	42 Gate Boxes	47-5 in. Hydrants	6 12-in. Gates	6 10-in. Gates	8 8-in. Gates	26 6-in. Gates	3 3-in Gates	Lump Sum Bld
Coffin Valve Co.....	\$3.50	\$29.50	\$28.50	\$22.00	\$14.00	\$ 8.00	\$4.20	\$2,145.60
Ludlow Mfg.Co.....	3.00	25.90	30.40	24.00	16.80	11.20	5.00	1,859.00
Norwood Co.....	3.75	27.27	31.50	22.75	13.75	8.25	4.40	1,929.09
Chapman Valve Co.....	3.25	26.00	31.00	24.50	14.50	8.50	4.00	1,700.00
The Fairbanks Co.....	3.30	.....	28.75	20.70	12.42	7.48	2.73	.....
R. D. Wood Co.....	2.75	28.60	31.00	22.00	17.00	11.00	5.00	1,760 00
Pratt & Cady.....	2.88	32.65	31.00	22.00	14.00	8.10	3.78	.....
Kennedy Valve Co.....	2.80	25.92	27.50	21.50	13.75	8.50	3.50	1,670 00
Renesselaer Co.....	3.00	30.00	30.50	23.00	17.00	11.00	5.00	1,872.00

On August 6 bids were opened by the committee for construction of Water Works System, which included laying pipe, rock excavation, constructing well, constructing reservoir and constructing pumping station, and furnishing pumping station machinery.

The canvass of bids received is as follows:

Names of Bidders	Laying 10" pipe 4200 feet		Laying 8" pipe 6000 feet		Laying 6" pipe 21700 feet		Rock excavat'n in trench 400 cu. yds.		Constructing well	Constructing pump- ing station	Constructing reser- voir	Total amount
	Price per ft.	Total	Price per ft.	Total	Price per ft.	Total	Price per cu. yd.	Total				
Susi & Williams.....	.30	\$1260.00	.25	\$1500.00	\$.20½	\$4448.50	\$3.00	\$1200.00	\$1456.00	\$1250.00	\$5900.00	\$17008.50
John H. Broderick.....	.38	1596.00	.31	1860.00	.27	5859.00	2.75	1100.00	950.00	925.00	6200.00	17490.00
Felix Capobianco.....	.46	1932.00	.31	1860.00	.22	4774.00	2.30	920.00	1480.00	1265.00	5750.00	17981.00
Thomas Bruno.....	.33	1386.00	.27	1620.00	.24	5908.00	3.75	1500.00	1900.00	1850.00	5250.00	18714.00
John E. Palmer.....	.33	1386.00	.28	1680.00	.26	5642.00	4.50	1800.00	1600.00	1300.00	5800.00	19208.00
Light, Heat & Power Co.....	.53	2226.00	.35	2100.00	.30½	6618.50	2.95	1180.00	1550.00	1000.00	5700.00	20374.50
Hanscom Const. Co.....	.33	1386.00	.33	1980.00	.29	6293.00	4.50	1800.00	3000.00	1500.00	5700.00	21659.00
James C. Nowell.....	.3887	1632.54	.4191	2514.60	.3740	8115.80	4.50	1800.00	2396.90	1261.64	6996.24	24717.72
Marsano Traufaglia.....	.49	2058.00	.45	2700.00	.39	8463.00	5.00	2000.00	2275.00	1200.00	9443.40	28139.40

After a very careful and thorough investigation of the several bids, it was decided to award contracts to the following firms, they being the lowest bidders:

For pipe:

Standard Cast Iron Pipe & Foundry Company, Bristol, Pa.....	\$13,850.00
For hydrants, gates and gate boxes:	
Kennedy Valve Company, Elmira, New York	1,670.00
For pumping machinery:	
Rumsey & Company, Seneca Falls, New York	1,757.00
For laying pipe, rock excavation, constructing reservoir, well and pumping station:	
Susi & Williams, Boston, Massachusetts.....	17,008.50

The contracts and specifications for furnishing and laying the pipe, installing the pumping machinery, and constructing the well and reservoir, were very carefully drawn, and the interests of the town have been protected in each and every case by bonds of reliable security companies.

On July 6, 1914, the issue of \$50,000 Town of Henniker 4% water works bonds was sold to N. W. Harris & Company, Boston, at \$100.625, which yielded the town a small premium. The legality of the bond issue was approved August 17, 1914, by Ropes-Gray, Boyden & Perkins, Boston.

The bonds are dated August 1, 1914, and are written for \$1,000 each, payable as follows: \$5,000 in ten years, \$10,000 in fifteen years, \$10,000 in twenty years, \$10,000 in twenty-five years, and the remainder, not exceeding \$15,000, in thirty years from date, with interest payable semi-annually. The amount received from N. W. Harris & Company was deposited by the town treasurer in the Hillsborough National Bank and yielded the town interest at the rate of 4%.

The bonds were sold only a few days previous to the declaration of war in Europe. After war had been declared the financial condition of the entire country was gravely depressed. Stock exchanges were closed. The market for municipal bonds was practically destroyed, and had your committee not been successful in disposing of the bonds previous to this financial depression the construction of the Water Works would necessarily have been greatly delayed.

PUMPING STATION.

The pumping station, which is located at the well, built upon land purchased of J. Fred Garland, consists of a very

attractive well-built, single-story, red brick building, 16x18 feet, with cast stone and granite trimmings, hip roof covered with slate shingles. The machinery consists of one 18 horsepower oil engine, which was built by the Mietz & Weiss Manufacturing Company of New York City. The engine is connected by gearing with a 6x8 vertical triplex pump, manufactured by the Rumsey Company of Seneca Falls, N. Y.

The fuel consumption of the engine when pumping at the normal pressure of the system, which is 105 pounds per square inch at the pumping station, is one gallon of kerosene or fuel oil for each 6,500 gallons of water pumped. Water flows from the pumping station into the street mains through six and eight-inch cast-iron pipe into the 300,000 gallon reservoir located on Proctor Hill at an elevation of 227 feet above the floor of the pumping station, and 198 feet above Proctor Square in front of Hotel Henniker. There is, therefore, a pressure at Proctor Square of 82 pounds per square inch and an effective fire pressure at all points covered by the system.

A test of twenty hydrants at different points about town shows an average pressure of 78.6 pounds.

The engine that was first installed gave some trouble, and after several unsuccessful attempts to remedy the defect the manufacturers of the engine agreed to replace it with a perfect machine, which has been done to our entire satisfaction. We wish to express our appreciation of the spirit shown by the Mietz & Weiss Company, and their evident desire to give us a thoroughly satisfactory engine without regard to expense.

WELL.

On the Garland land a well 25.15/100 feet deep and 20 feet in diameter was constructed of stone. The bottom course was laid loose, and the upper course made water tight by laying in cement mortar. The top is covered with a concrete slab to keep out the surface water. The yield of water from this well is estimated to be from 150,000 to 200,000 gallons per day, and has a capacity of holding 57,000 gallons with an average daily flow of 150,000 to 200,000 gallons.

RESERVOIR.

A covered masonry reservoir having a capacity of 300,000 gallons has been constructed on Proctor Hill upon land purchased of George A. Newton. It is a concrete structure,

covered with a concrete roof and the roof covered with two feet of earth for the purpose of keeping the water fresh and cool.

SPRINGS.

Additional water has been obtained from newly developed springs upon land purchased of Adelaid Brown. Two additional collecting basins have been built, which yield a substantial increase. A four-inch pipe has been laid for carrying the water from the springs to the main pipe line at West Henniker. The work necessary to secure all the available water at these springs was not done last fall. Winter came on and further work had to be suspended. It is the opinion of Mr. Johnson, and also of the committee, that a further additional supply can be obtained. When this is done it is fair to presume that these springs will yield at least 25 or 30 thousand gallons of water daily. The water from these springs is excellent in quality, and every drop possible ought to be secured, which can be done at a small additional expense. During the winter some discoloration has been noticeable in the water coming from these springs, which is due to the unfinished condition of the work. This difficulty can easily be overcome as soon as frost disappears.

EXTRA WORK.

From the financial statement which appears in this report you will see much more work done than was anticipated in the original estimates. As is usually the case in large contracts a certain additional amount of expense has to be met which is not provided for in the original schedule. As the construction of the works progressed these same additions had to be met by the Water Committee. An extra depth of the well at the pumping station was recommended by the engineer. It was plainly seen that every additional foot dug showed a very substantial flow to the water coming into the well. When a depth of 25.15/100 feet had been reached Mr. Johnson was of the opinion that a sufficient amount of water was then available to meet our requirements. To comply with the requirements of the New Hampshire Board of Fire Underwriters in order to secure better rates on fire insurance, it was necessary to enlarge the size of our storage reservoir, which was done at quite an additional expense. By extending the pipe lines from West Henniker to the springs necessitated crossing Emerson canal and the Contoocook

River. This was done to get a direct flow from the springs to the street mains. The committee felt justified in approving of the outlay. The contract provided for 47 hydrants. Six additional hydrants have been installed in different localities. Street extensions have also been made, but in no case has the committee recommended expenditures where it did not appear to them that the income derived from rents would not fully warrant the cost.

The water rates, rules and regulations for the use of water were compiled with great care and deliberation. The rates established are substantially the same as those adopted by the Henniker Spring Water Company. Your committee were of the opinion that these rates are rather low in comparison to prices charged in other small towns, but did not deem it wise or advisable at this time to make any material advance. After the plant has been in operation one or two years a better knowledge can be obtained as to the annual income derived from water rents from new takers; also the probable yearly expense of maintenance. If the income from rents proves insufficient to pay the interest on the bonds and cost of maintenance, and provide a fund to meet payments on bonds as they mature, your commissioners would then be in a better position to know what to do; that is, whether it would be advisable to further advance the rates of the water takers or recommend a yearly hydrant rental change to be paid by the town. If all families on the several pipe lines avail themselves of the advantages derived from using the water and connect with the system in the spring this will show a very substantial increase to our present income. It must be clear to our inhabitants that the construction of our water system is very advantageous in helping the towns grow—such as bringing into the market more real estate for building purposes. Renewed interest in the town's growth and development has already begun. Activity along these lines can be seen in our village today. A further advantage is the matter of insurance. This benefit is already being felt. We are informed by Mr. Clinton Lovell, superintendent of the K. & C. Manufacturing Company, one of our largest manufacturing industries, that he is having his insurance policies renewed at a yearly rate of 1%, for which, previous to the installation of the water works, he was obliged to pay $1\frac{1}{4}\%$.

The committee feel that they were exceedingly fortunate in securing the services of Mr. Johnson as engineer to make

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our preliminary survey and superintend the construction of the plant. His knowledge and skill as an expert on water supply ranks with the best in the fraternity of Hydraulic Engineers of New England.

To his able assistant, Mr. Leslie P. Reed, we wish to make special mention. Our associations with him have been pleasant, and we deeply appreciate the many favors he has shown the committee.

The necessary work for final completion under the contract of Susi & Williams will be made as soon as possible in the spring. There is some work yet to be done at the well and reservoir. According to the specifications the work is to be kept in repair for the term of nine months after the date that the water is let into the pipes. They shall correct and repair all leaks and failures of whatever description during this time. The committee have retained out of the money payable to said contractors the sum of \$500, to be expended in the manner as provided for in making such repairs as the engineer may deem necessary.

The material furnished and work done by Messrs. Susi & Williams have been very satisfactory to the committee. At all times during the process of construction they were constantly on the job superintending the work. The conduct of the men in their employ has caused the people of Henniker no trouble whatever. The many acquaintances and friends that Messrs. Susi & Williams made during their stay in Henniker wish them prosperity and success.

The plant has so far been constructed within the appropriation. What remains necessary for absolute completion is contained in the report of Mr. Johnson, which will be found on a separate page in this report.

December 1, 1914, your committee was in receipt of a magnificent gift from our esteemed and honored townsman, Hon. Henry A. Emerson. His personal check for \$500 was given to the committee, the proceeds of which to be applied to the construction of our public water works. The public spirit shown in contributing this exceedingly liberal donation was a source of great pleasure and satisfaction to your committee, and certainly will be greatly appreciated by every citizen in town. In years past Mr. Emerson has contributed to many public improvements. The last donation only further illustrates his public generosity.

The committee have devoted a great amount of time and study to this public enterprise—no doubt much more time

than many of our citizens realize. Our efforts we hope will be appreciated. No charge for expense of time put in by the committee has been made. The only charges made are for cash actually paid out.

Respectfully submitted,
 EDWARD N. COGSWELL,
 ALBERT E. CHOAT,
 EDWARD CONNELLY,
 HARRY L. HOLMES,
 HARRY W. BALCH,
Water Works Committee.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

We hereby submit a statement in detail showing receipts and expenditures of money received and paid out for construction of Water Works to February 15, 1915.

RECEIPTS.

Received—

N. W. Harris & Co., bond issue.....	\$50,000.00
N. W. Harris, bond premium and interest....	190.28
Hillsboro National Bank, temporary loan.....	9,266.00
J. C. Cogswell, treasurer Henniker Spring Water Co.....	44.20
Hillsboro National Bank, interest on deposits..	168.54
Hillsboro National Bank, interest on deposits..	111.41
Hillsboro National Bank, interest on deposits..	74.27
Hon. H. A. Emerson, gift.....	500.00
Susi & Williams, dynamite.....	17.50
Hillsboro National Bank, interest on deposits..	25.58
Boston & Maine Railroad, overcharge.....	1.98
Hillsboro National Bank, interest on deposits..	5.21
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	\$60,404.97

EXPENDITURES.

Paid—

Henniker Spring Water Co., stock and interest	\$8,440.00
R. T. Morrison, note and interest.....	520.00
George P. Gove, note and interest.....	306.00
Newport National Bank, note.....	400.00
W. S. Johnson, engineer, on account.....	500.00

Hillsboro National Bank, note and interest, temporary loan.....	\$9,296.89
Adelaid Brown, land damage.....	150.00
Henrietta C. Falvey, land damage.....	100.00
J. Fred Garland, land damage.....	75.00
George A. Newton, land damage.....	25.00
Boston & Maine Railroad, freight on pipe....	207.32
Boston & Maine Railroad, freight on pipe....	584.88
Susi & Williams, on account.....	2,749.92
E. Connelly, cash advanced for freight.....	12.57
Ed. Connelly, bill due from Henniker Spring Water Co.....	41.23
Boston & Maine Railroad, freight on pipe....	663.39
W. S. Johnson, on account.....	250.00
B. L. Makepiece, blue prints.....	13.10
Susi & Williams, on account.....	2,500.00
Eva Osgood, land damage.....	5.00
Boston & Maine Railroad, freight on pipe....	155.05
Susi & Williams, on account.....	2,695.23
Boston & Maine Railroad, freight on pipe....	57.95
Wm. S. Johnson, engineer, on account.....	250.00
Boston & Maine Railroad, freight.....	2.00
Susi & Williams, on account.....	2,494.37
Boston & Maine Railroad, freight.....	1.49
Standard Cast Iron Pipe Co., pipe.....	6,000.00
Kennedy Valve Co.....	1,516.51
Edward Connelly, labor and supplies.....	63.42
Boston & Maine Railroad, freight on pipe....	98.83
Nathan Sawyer, printing and stationery.....	48.50
Susi & Williams, on account.....	3,345.14
Boston & Maine Railroad, freight.....	8.46
Harrison A. Gordon, land damage.....	15.00
E. N. Cogswell, cash advanced for iron covers..	6.26
E. N. Cogswell, cash advanced for stationery..	2.15
Wm. S. Johnson on account.....	250.00
Charles R. Gow, driving wells.....	97.55
H. A. Shepard, printing rules and regulations, etc.	45.25
Yawman & Erbe, cabinet and cards.....	12.50
George E. Trudell, goose-necks, gates, boxes, etc.	288.75
W. E. Knapton, labor.....	6.25
J. C. Richardson, labor.....	6.25
Standard Cast Iron Pipe Co., on account.....	5,405.58
Rumsey Mfg. Co., on account.....	800.00

Boston & Maine Railroad, freight.....	\$2.54
W. L. Clark, labor.....	4.60
Ludlow Valve Co.....	20.70
Wm. Robinson, oil.....	19.22
H. L. Holmes, man and cash paid out.....	6.50
H. A. Tucker, labor.....	4.00
Walworth Mfg. Co., specials.....	25.36
Susi & Williams, on account.....	1,112.70
Knapton & Richardson, on account.....	155.00
Susi & Williams, on account.....	600.00
Knapton & Richardson, on account.....	100.00
Fred A. Houdlett, specials.....	209.06
Standard Cast Iron Pipe Co., on account.....	767.09
Boston & Maine Railroad, freight.....	5.35
W. A. Cochrane, labor.....	6.00
Howard Gammell, labor.....	6.00
———— Dowlin, labor.....	2.00
Kennedy Mfg. Co., hydrants, etc.....	97.60
Susi & Williams, on account.....	3,000.00
Susi & Williams, on account.....	882.54
J. H. Falvey, labor at pumping station.....	30.00
Frank Patten, labor.....	11.60
Kennedy Valve Co., specials.....	4.47
H. H. Rowe, labor.....	35.50
G. H. Brill, labor.....	20.00
A. J. West, labor.....	1.60
F. C. Clark, labor.....	11.77
C. F. Flanders, labor.....	28.00
Preston Bros. Co.....	4.00
J. L. Armstrong, sharpening drills.....	2.60
H. A. Shepard, account books.....	3.25
Ed. Connelly, stock, labor, fittings, etc.....	284.70
W. E. Knapton, labor.....	87.80
W. S. Johnson, on account.....	150.00
Standard Oil Co.....	11.50
Chapman Valve Co.....	13.19
Standard Cast Iron Pipe Co., payment in full..	539.26
Ashton Valve Co., pressure gauge.....	4.00
Bacon Bros., wood for pumping station.....	6.00
W. E. Knapton, labor.....	2.98

\$58,791.27

STANDARD CAST IRON PIPE AND FOUNDRY COMPANY.

158 tons 10" iron pipe at \$21.70....	\$3,428.60	
133 tons 8" iron pipe at \$21.70....	2,886.10	
317 tons 6" iron pipe at \$21.70....	6,878.90	
12 tons special pipe.....	656.40	
3,600 feet 4" iron pipe.....	841.87	
Special castings.....	24.05	
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		\$14,715.92
Less saving on weight.....		91.54
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		\$14,624.38

Paid Boston & Maine Railroad:

Freight on pipe.....	\$207.32
Freight on pipe.....	584.88
Freight on pipe.....	663.39
Freight on pipe.....	155.05
Freight on pipe.....	54.32
Freight on pipe.....	98.83

Paid—

On account	6,000.00
On account	5,405.58
On account	767.09
For defective pipe.....	148.66
To balance account.....	539.26

\$14,624.38

SUSI & WILLIAMS.

Pipe	Original	Final	Plus	Minus
4,200' 10".....	\$1,260.00	\$1,279.50	\$19.50	.....
6,000' 8".....	1,500.00	1,533.00	33.00	.....
21,700' 6".....	4,448.50	4,104.10	.....	\$344.40
Rock Ex., 2.87 cu yds	1,200.00	1,161.00	.....	39.00
Well	1,450.00	2,141.19	691.19
Pumping Station....	1,250.00	1,250.00
Reservoir	5,900.00	6,105.00	205.00
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	\$17,008.50	\$17,573.79	\$948.69	\$383.40
Original bid.....	17,008.50	383.40

\$565.29 \$565.29

Original contract.....	\$17,008.50
Excess construction work.....	565.29
Excess construction work.....	2,306.11
Repairing leaks.....	97.38

Total \$19,977.28

Paid—

Susi & Williams, on account.....	\$2,749.92	
Susi & Williams, on account.....	2,695.23	
Susi & Williams, on account.....	2,494.37	
Susi & Williams, on account.....	3,345.14	
Susi & Williams, on account.....	2,500.00	
Susi & Williams, on account.....	1,112.70	
Susi & Williams, on account.....	600.00	
Susi & Williams, on account.....	3,000.00	
Susi & Williams, on account.....	882.54	
	<hr/>	\$19,379.90
Unpaid balance due on contract.....		597.38
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		\$19,977.28

SUSI & WILLIAMS EXTRA CONSTRUCTION WORK.

Removing 3" pipe from trench on hill.....	\$68.85
Digging trench on Depot Hill.....	40.62
Crossing canal at West Henniker.....	53.27
Crossing Contoocook River, West Henniker.....	238.25
Reloading gate boxes returned to Kennedy Mfg. Co.	1.84
Digging ditch at F. H. Ward's, near Pleasant street	42.44
Digging ditch at John D. Colby's, Pleasant street	197.37
Rehandling 6" pipe to West Henniker.....	18.26
Building chimney at pumping station.....	10.00
Blasting stone on Weare road.....	13.78
Putting in by-pass at Rim shop.....	54.91
Making connections on Maple street and Gulf road	4.91
Pipe extension from West Henniker to springs..	1,246.45
Concrete work at pumping station.....	20.00
Putting in well suction.....	47.04
Putting in plugs.....	11.10
Building basins at springs.....	2.91
Changing well blow-off at pumping station.....	4.91
Laying pipe under railroad crossing, W. Henniker	21.23
Material used at collecting basins.....	16.04
Hauling pipe, team work, hauling stone, etc....	35.71
Work at collecting basins.....	39.73
Blasting on Weare road extension.....	15.17
Collecting 4" unused pipe at springs.....	2.38
Collecting 4" unused pipe from different localities	9.26
Setting hydrants, extra.....	37.46
Work putting in by-pass at Rim shop.....	52.22
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	\$2,306.11

WILLIAM S. JOHNSON, ENGINEER.

1914.		
Aug. 29.	Paid on account for services.....	\$500.00
Sept. 30.	Paid on account for services.....	250.00
Oct. 31.	Paid on account for services.....	250.00
Nov. 28.	Paid on account for services.....	250.00
1915.		
Jan. 2.	Paid on account for services.....	150.00
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		\$1,400.00

LAND DAMAGE.

1914.		
Aug. 24.	Paid Adelaide Brown, land.....	\$150.00
	Henrietta C. Falvey, land.....	100.00
	J. Fred Garland, land.....	75.00
	George A. Newton, land.....	25.00
Oct. 9.	Eva Osgood, right of way.....	5.00
Nov. 25.	Hanson A. Gordon, right of way	15.00
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		\$370.00

RUMSEY & COMPANY.

Amount of contract for furnishing engine and pumping machine.....		\$1,757.00
Paid on account.....	\$800.00	
Amount due on contract.....	957.00	
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KENNEDY VALVE COMPANY.

Paid for—	
Hydrant gates, gate boxes and wrenches.....	\$1,516.51
Hydrants	97.60
Specials	4.47
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	\$1,618.58

HENNIKER SPRING WATER COMPANY.

(Settlement made September 1, 1914.)

Name.	No. Shrs.	Stock.	11 mos. interest.	Paid.
George P. Gove.....	30	\$1,500.00	\$82.50	\$1,582.50
John F. Gove.....	30	1,500.00	82.50	1,582.50
Henry A. Emerson....	30	1,500.00	82.50	1,582.50
Lucy S. Connor.....	12	600.00	33.00	633.00
John C. Cogswell.....	11	550.00	30.25	580.25
George H. Sanborn....	8	400.00	22.00	422.00
Emma J. Preston.....	6	300.00	16.50	316.50
Curtis B. Childs.....	6	300.00	16.50	316.50
William D. Davis.....	6	300.00	16.50	316.50
Edward N. Cogswell...	4	200.00	11.00	211.00
Ephraim P. Goss.....	4	200.00	11.00	211.00
William O. Folsom....	4	200.00	11.00	211.00
George C. Preston....	3	150.00	8.25	158.25
Maria L. Carr.....	2	100.00	5.50	105.50
Susan Cogswell.....	2	100.00	5.50	105.50
Mrs. Charles A. Nichols	2	100.00	5.50	105.50
	160	\$8,000.00	\$440.00	\$8,440.00
Rufus T. Morrison, note and interest.....				\$520.00
George P. Gove, note and interest.....				306.00
Newport National Bank, note.....				400.00
				<u>\$9,666.00</u>

CLASSIFIED ROCK EXCAVATION BY STREETS.

Reservoir excavation.....	82 cu. yds.
Patterson Hill work.....	42 cu. yds.
10"—Line to Reservoir and Bridge street....	63 cu. yds.
8"—Cressy and Pearl.....	3
8"—Western avenue, Square to Oak.....	18
6"—Western avenue, Oak to railroad track..	8
6"—Western avenue, railroad track to West Henniker	2
6"—Gulf road.....	4
6"—Park street.....	53
6"—Water street.....	28
6"—Hight street.....	28

6"—Gould street.....	3 cu. yds.
6"—Maple street.....	21
6"—Crescent street.....	3
6"—Pleasant street.....	129
8"—Main street.....	20
6"—Commercial street.....	4

Total 387 cu. yds.
 387 cubic yards at \$300..... \$1,161.00

MATERIAL ON HAND.

	lbs.	
1 6x6 Y, weight 175 lbs.....	175	} at \$54.70 per ton
2 10" $\frac{1}{8}$ bends, weight 200 lbs..	400	
1 10" $\frac{1}{16}$ bends, weight 175 lbs.	175	
1 8" $\frac{1}{8}$ bend, weight 150 lbs..	150	
1 6" sleeve, weight 65 lbs.....	65	
5 6", weight 16 lbs.....	80	
2 6x6 Ts, weight 200 lbs.....	400	
	1,445	or .723 tons=\$39.60
1 6" gate		8.50
		<u>\$48.10</u>

	lbs.	
10" pipe, 3 lengths @ 720.....	2,160	} at \$21.70 per ton
8" pipe, 5 lengths @ 530.....	2,650	
6" pipe, 55 lengths @ 350....	19,250	
4" pipe, 13 lengths @ 240....	3,120	

27,180 or 13.590 tons=\$294.93

\$343.03

ORDERS PAID.

Standard Cast Iron Pipe & Foundry Co.....	\$14,624.38
Susi & Williams.....	19,379.90
William S. Johnson.....	1,400.00
Land damage.....	370.00
Rumsey & Co.....	800.00
Henniker Spring Water Co.....	9,666.00
Hillsboro National Bank, note and interest.....	9,296.89

Kennedy Valve Co.....	\$1,618.58
Miscellaneous expenditures.....	1,635.52
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	\$58,791.27
Unpaid bills as per contracts.....	1,564.38
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	\$60,355.65

BALANCE SHEET.

Orders drawn on town treasurer to Feb. 15, 1915 \$58,791.27

UNPAID BILLS.

Susi & Williams, due on contract....	\$597.38
Rumsey & Co., due on contract....	957.00
Knapton & Richardson, due on contract	10.00
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	\$1,564.38
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	\$60,355.65

Total receipts	\$60,404.97
Total expenditures	58,791.27

Cash in town treasurer's hands..	\$1,613.70
Unpaid bills.....	1,564.38
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	\$49.32

Amount on deposit in the bank Feb. 15, 1915..	\$1,613.70
Amount of unpaid bills Feb. 15, 1915.....	1,564.38
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	\$49.32

ASSETS.

Material on hand, pipe, gates, valves, corp. cocks, etc.	\$528.28
Available cash on hand.....	49.32
Due from the K. & C. Mfg. Co.....	87.67
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Total	\$665.27

REPORT OF WILLIAM S. JOHNSON, *Engineer.*

BOSTON, February 12, 1915.

To the Water Supply Committee of the Town of Henniker:

GENTLEMEN—I beg to submit the following report upon the work done on the construction of the Water Works system at Henniker, with a statement as to what remains to be done to make the plant complete.

The plant has been designed to accomplish the following results:

First. To secure a water which is unpolluted, soft, free at all times from objectionable tastes and odors, and in all respects suitable for drinking and other domestic purposes.

Second. To secure an ample supply for all reasonable requirements for a considerable time in the future, with an opportunity for additional development at a small expense whenever the growth of the town shall make it necessary.

Third. To furnish a large volume of water under a high pressure for fighting fires without the necessity of fire engines.

The new plant has been designed to utilize to the fullest extent possible the works of the Henniker Spring Water Company. The springs from which the company obtained its supply furnish water which meets all requirements as to quality, and all of the springs but one are at a sufficient elevation to supply the town by gravity under the head considered desirable in the new system. The quantity obtainable from the springs, even after collecting the water which has hitherto run to waste, is insufficient to supply the town at all times, and, as there are no other spring water sources from which any considerable quantity of water can be secured by gravity, it has been necessary to seek some source from which suitable water can be secured by pumping. Such a supply, fortunately, has been found, and a supply of from 150,000 to 200,000 gallons per day has been secured by the construction of a collecting well in the Garland pasture in the easterly part of the town. The quality of the water obtained from this well is equal to that obtained from the springs, and it is possible to increase the quantity whenever desirable by the construction of additional works in the vicinity.

How much water the gravity springs will furnish, there is no means of knowing. They have supplied all the water that has been used in the past, and it is probable that during the winter and spring months they will supply all that will

be required during this portion of the year for some time to come. The springs should be utilized to their fullest capacity, as every gallon of water obtained by gravity will save just so much pumping.

The pumping is done by a triplex pump operated by an oil engine, the pump having a capacity of 200 gallons per minute, or 12,000 gallons per hour. The plant will pump over 6,000 gallons of water for each gallon of fuel oil and the cost of the fuel will therefore be between one cent and two cents per thousand gallons of water pumped.

To give the desirable fire protection, it is necessary to have stored at all times at a sufficient elevation to give the required pressure for effective fire streams, a volume of water large enough to put out any fire which may occur. To meet this requirement a reservoir has been constructed on Proctor Hill, about 190 feet above Proctor Square, which will hold 300,000 gallons. This quantity of water is enough to furnish four good, effective fire streams for six hours before the reservoir would be emptied. In any fire of this duration, however, it would be possible to start the pump, which would give one additional fire stream.

As a still further protection, especially in case of accident to the main pipe line, a connection has been made with the fire pumps in the K. & C. Mfg. Co., which can be opened at any time, and water from the river can be pumped into the system by means of these fire pumps. It is not anticipated that this will ever be necessary, but it is a very valuable protection against possible accidents.

The reservoir is of concrete, covered with a concrete roof, and the entire structure is covered with earth, so that it is a subterranean reservoir. The water drawn from such a reservoir will be as fresh as the water drawn directly from the springs.

The piping system has been designed to meet the requirements for fire protection in the different parts of the village. The pipe from the reservoir to Proctor Square is ten inches in diameter and the smallest pipe is six inches, except that a few comparatively short lines of three-inch pipe have been laid for domestic service only.

The vote of the town authorizing the construction of the water works was passed June 27, 1914, and it was confidently expected that the work would be completed before winter. Several annoying delays occurred, however, in starting, so that the system, although far enough advanced to be in use, is not yet complete.

The principal things which remain to be done under the old contract are a few repairs to the reservoir and the completion of the work at the springs on Patterson Hill. There is also a small amount of work to be done at the pumping station and at the northerly springs. When the reservoir was filled it was found that there was a small leakage from it, and that it would be necessary to grout a portion of the bottom. As the season was so far advanced and as the leakage was not sufficient to cause any trouble, it was decided to leave this work until the spring, when it can be done to much better advantage, and at that time the grading will be completed. At the Patterson Hill springs the works which were put in to collect the additional water were left in an unfinished state, owing to the cold weather, so that at times of high flow some muddy water now enters the system.

The lower spring on the north side of the village is at such an elevation that it cannot come into the new system, and it was therefore necessary to shut the gate between this spring and the town. As this spring receives the flow from the other springs which are at a higher elevation, none of this water now enters the system. It will be necessary to lay a short piece of pipe to convey the water of the upper springs around the lower spring, thus getting the benefit of all of the springs on the north side with the exception of the lowest.

These things should be attended to as soon as the weather will permit in the spring. The work at the reservoir and at the pumping station is included in the contract of Susi & Williams, and will not be an added expense to the town. All of the other necessary work will cost about \$150.

The work has progressed smoothly, and there have been no unusual occurrences which are worthy of note except the fact that the first engine which was installed was found, upon trial, to be defective and had to be rejected. The contractor has replaced the defective engine with a new one, which has been tested and is now perfectly satisfactory.

The connection of the new pipes with the old pipes of the Henniker Spring Water Company has been made in two places in the village, so that all of the old consumers are being supplied through the pipes of the Henniker Spring Water Company. The new takers are supplied directly from the new cast-iron mains.

It is very desirable that the old connections should be changed so that all of the connections will be with the new pipes and the older pipes can be abandoned. When these

connections are made each one should be supplied with a shut-off located in the street, so that the water from any house can be shut off without affecting any other consumer. I would strongly recommend that this be done as soon as possible. There is one place, however, where it may be desirable to leave the old connections. The houses opposite the town hall are at a long distance from the main and they appear to be well served by the pipes of the Henniker Spring water Company. The cost of making suitable connections with the old pipes will average about ten dollars per connection.

The work done by the contractors has been most satisfactory, and they have shown a desire at all times to do the work in the best possible manner. I want especially to express my appreciation of the spirit shown by the contractors for the pumping machinery when the engine was rejected. The defective engine was replaced at once at a very considerable expense without demur.

I also wish to express my appreciation of the work of my chief assistant, Mr. Leslie P. Reed, and of the resident engineer, Mr. Wilson T. Howe. To their faithfulness and skill much of the success of the work is due.

Never in my experience have I had the fortune to be associated with a committee or commission the members of which have worked so faithfully and with such unanimity to secure the best results for the town, even at great personal sacrifices. I want to express my thanks to them for the great assistance which they have given me in carrying on the work.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM S. JOHNSON.

TREASURER'S REPORT OF WATER ACCOUNT
FROM AUG. 1, 1914 TO FEB. 15, 1915.

Received—

Selectmen, First National Bank note...	\$9,266.00
N. W. Harris & Co.....	50,190.28
First National Bank, interest.....	385.01
Water committee, H. A. Emerson, con- tribution	500.00
Water committee, J. C. Cogswell, Tr., Henniker Spring Water Co.....	44.20
Water committee, dynamite sold Susi & Williams	17.50
Water committee, overcharge on freight.	1.98
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Total receipts	\$60,404.97
Total expenditures by order of water com- mittee	58,791.27
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Cash on hand from construction account	\$1,613.70
Received from H. L. Holmes, Col., water rents	\$1,333.59
Paid N. H. Harris & Co. six months' in- terest on bonds	1,000.00
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Cash on hand from rentals.....	\$333.59
Total cash on hand February 15, 1915....	\$1,947.29

Respectfully submitted,
W. L. CHILDS,
Treasurer.

REPORT OF H. L. HOLMES, COLLECTOR.

As collector of water rents for the town of Henniker for the year ending December 31, 1914, I submit the following report:

Amount due for rents January 1, 1915...	\$1,379.59
Amount collected and paid over to town treasurer	1,333.59
Balance uncollected:	
Charles S. Davis.....	\$12.00
F. W. Hale Est.....	6.00
Henniker Fiber Co.....	6.00
Frank Marsh	5.50
H. H. Rowe.....	10.50
F. W. Winslow.....	6.00
	<hr/> 46.00
	<hr/> \$1,379.59

H. L. HOLMES,
Collector.

REPORT OF SCHOOL BOARD.

We find it difficult to accurately estimate the amount to be raised at the annual district meeting because of the uncertainty of the action the voters may take regarding certain special articles that will appear in the warrant.

We submit the following general estimates:

General school fund, also cost of supervision	\$5,000.00
Schoolhouse debt and interest.....	1,250.00
Schoolhouse repairs (see special report)...	150.00
Textbooks and supplies.....	300.00
Officers' salaries	150.00
Flagpole and appurtenances	
Noontime chaperone at Central school....	
Insurance on school buildings.....	

GEORGE H. DODGE,
For the Board.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.

The new Central building—for it certainly looks like a different building—has proved admirably adapted to the needs of the school. Four commodious rooms house the grades, two grades being in each room; a high and clean cement basement under the entire building affords a fine playground for stormy days; while the heating plant has kept the building warm so far this winter without taxing it to half its capacity. The citizens of Henniker are to be congratulated upon having such a sightly and serviceable building, and owe a vote of thanks to the building committee for the efficient manner in which they have discharged their duty.

In general, the work of the schools during the past year has been satisfactory. Especially the schools at Hemlock

Corner and Division 1 have shown progress. At the Quaker Street school the work and discipline had fallen off considerably during the fall term, but since Miss Metcalf has taken hold of it again the school is doing good work. The central graded school has been fortunate in having had no changes amongst the teachers, and has been doing excellent work.

A matter which needs our earnest attention and persistent effort is the prevalence of irregular attendance, as shown by the registers. This is a matter in which the parents can do much to instill right habits into their children, to assist them in keeping up with their classes, as well as to help the work of the school. Another fact which should be borne in mind is that a state grant is made to the schools on the basis of average attendance. Whenever a child is absent it pulls down the average attendance and decreases the amount paid to the town. Let us each determine that our children, in spite of obstacles, shall always be in school on time—no absences and no tardinesses.

Perhaps no better indication of the status of the schools and the work they are doing can be given than the noting of one or two facts. Last spring a Parent-Teachers' Association was organized, and throughout the winter they have been holding meetings. The attendance at these meetings has not been large, but the membership of 70 or more shows an active interest on the part of many parents in the schools. The hearty coöperation of those who have put their hands to this work has proven to us personally that there is a genuine desire for a more vital touch and helpful coöperation between the parents and the schools. Nothing could be a more hopeful sign than this. We trust that the next year may see a yet closer and more general "getting together."

The second thing we would note is the post-graduate work of last year's class in the High School. Of the eight who graduated, five either are attending college or are working this year and planning to enter college next year. One of the others is in Normal school, one in business college, and one is taking post-graduate work in music.

Such a record shows that the schools are not wholly failing to fulfil their purpose.

The third indication is voiced in the opinion of the Deputy State Superintendent, Mr. H. A. Brown, in his two annual visits to the schools. On both occasions he commented favorably on the work and pronounced the schools in a healthy condition.

One more thing remains for us to say, and that is to point out the next advance that, in our opinion, should be made. In the above we have said that "the schools are not wholly failing to fulfill their purpose"—neither are they fulfilling it. They are preparing and sending to college those desirous of taking such work. A large percentage, however, of the boys and girls of Henniker do not expect to go to college. These drop out after passing the grammar grade, or before, because the high school courses are not adapted to their needs. If the schools of this town are wholly to fulfill their purpose of providing adequate education for "all the children of all the people," they must very soon introduce industrial arts courses for those who do not want to take up academic college work, and this can be done at very little added expense. This is the next thing to which the citizens of Henniker must give their attention in regard to the schools.

With a deep appreciation of and a word of thanks for the kindly treatment and coöperation accorded us in our work this year, this report is respectfully submitted.

F. M. ARMSTRONG,
Superintendent.

ROLL OF HONOR.

PERFECT ATTENDANCE FOR FIVE CONSECUTIVE YEARS.

Howard S. Tucker	Harold A. Tucker
Madeline P. Tucker	

PERFECT ATTENDANCE FOR TWO CONSECUTIVE YEARS.

Freda Brown	Deane H. Morrison
Dorothy P. Garland	

PERFECT ATTENDANCE FOR ONE YEAR.

Alice L. Searles	Helen R. Burnham
Mabel C. Martin	Muriel G. Chase
Wayne F. Holmes	Mary E. Connelly
Frank Hooper	

PERFECT ATTENDANCE FOR ONE OR MORE TERMS.

Louis H. Labier	Clyde Connor
William S. Labier	Byron Hooper
Grace S. Bennett	George Hooper
Grace T. Flanders	Ralph Hardy
Stanley E. Patch	Christopher Hardy
Paul C. Farrar	Mildred Connor
Norman Farrar	Elsie Connor
Leslie Bacon	Lester Connor
Eugene Cummings	Arleigh Hooper
Esther Sargent	Arvilla Hooper
Margeret Gunn	Charlie Hardy
Ethelyn Stafford	Bennie Shaw
Edgar Shaw	Hazel Angell
Edith Shaw	Dorothy Gale
Marion L. Davis	Marion Hall
Albert Huntington	Charles E. Connelly
Edward Buxton	Ruth A. Cooper
Leonard Buxton	Evelyn L. Tucker
Arland Small	Freda Newton
Grace Buxton	Kenneth S. Knapton
Helen B. Burnham	Ruth Sawyer
Maurice Chase	George C. Wilkins
Kendall Hatch	Ethel V. Armstrong
Theron Jameson	Evelyn H. Burnham
Vera Spaulding	Maud E. Savage
Ralph Saunders	Kenneth W. Whitney
Marguerite Blodgett	Howell Wilkins
Elizabeth Childs	Marjorie Haskell
Evelyn Jones	Arthur Armstrong
Ruth McEvoy	Louise Hall
Hazel McCabe	Verna Leaf

Louis Whitney
 Alice Saunders
 Albert Jones
 Alice Burnham

Guy Hollis
 Lyle D. Whitney
 Marion S. Carnes
 Charles H. Wilkins
 Paul Cooper

TRUANT OFFICER'S REPORT.

Whole number of boys between the ages of 5 and 16	103
Whole number of girls between the ages of 5 and 16	115
Number between the ages of 10 and 16 unable to read and write in the English language	none
Number between the ages of 5 and 8 not attending	26
Number between the ages of 8 and 14 not attending	1
Number between the ages of 14 and 16 not attending	none
Number of children blind	none
Number of children deaf and dumb.....	none
Number of feeble-minded between 5 and 16	none
Whole number of children, 5 to 16 years of age whose names appear on the school reg- isters on September 30, 1914.....	207

Reported by John H. Falvey.

REPORT OF AGENT FOR SCHOOLHOUSE REPAIRS.

As nothing was raised at the last annual meeting for repairs other than the fund for remodelling the Central school building, the necessary charges upon the Division schoolhouses have been paid from the general school fund.

The attention of the voters of the district is called to an article in your school warrant relating to the sale of unused schoolhouses, and upon their decision in that matter depends the amount necessary to raise for repairs the coming year.

Of the three schoolhouses unused for several years there seems to be no prospect of their need for many years, if ever. Two of these are in good repair other than a need for outside painting.

The maintenance of the small school of ten or a dozen pupils at West Henniker could be avoided if the parents could be convinced that the extra effort on their part required to get their children to the Central school would be well paid in the better instruction made possible in that school.

Outside of the above-mentioned buildings I would recommend that \$150 be raised for repairs.

GEORGE H. DODGE, agent for repairs, submits the following report:

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1915.		
Feb. 13.	Received of district treasurer.....	\$35.90
	Accounted for as follows:	
1914.		
Dec. 2.	Paid J. C. Cogswell, repairs at Div. 6	\$1.00
1915.		
Jan. 22.	Paid Morris Dowlin, cleaning clock at Div. 10.....	1.00
Feb. 5.	Paid W. E. Knapton, putting wood in school basement.....	1.00
	7. Paid Lizzie G. Patch, laundering towels	1.00
	8. Paid Edward Connelly, bill for re- pairs	6.95
	8. Paid Preston Bros. Co., bill for re- pairs	3.72
	9. Paid Oliver W. Parker, clean'g vault	.50
	13. George H. Dodge, labor, team and cash paid	20.73
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		\$35.90

We hereby certify that we have examined the foregoing account of George H. Dodge, repair committee for Henniker School district, and find the same correctly cast and properly vouched.

W. O. FOLSOM,
W. A. CONNOR,
G. E. CHADWICK,
Auditors.

HENNIKER, February 15, 1915.

STATISTICAL TABLE

Name of School	Name of teacher	Weeks of school	Wages per month	Number of scholars	Per cent of attendance	Superintendent's visits	Citizen's visits
Parker's..... 1 term	M. Madge Libbey.....	10	\$32	13	99	4	16
Bear Hill..... 2 terms	Bessie M. Beaird.....	10	32	4	97	2	4
Westboro Cor... 7 T S	Bessie M. Beaird.....	10	32	4	87	2	0
	Lena G. Wright.....	10	32	10	89	3	8
	Lena G. Wright.....	10	32	11	84	3	12
	Lena G. Wright.....	10	32	11	86	2	8
Wes Henniker	Agnes M. Fraser.....	15	32	14	78	4	13
	Agnes M. Fraser.....	5	32	9	89	1	1
	Agnes M. Fraser.....	10	32	11	91	2	3
Hemlock Cor...	Louise Fogg.....	10	32	16	93	3	15
	Louise Fogg.....	10	32	17	91	2	11
	Louise Fogg.....	10	32	16	99	2	35
Friend's Dist...	Mary J. Metcalf.....	10	32	18	91	3	7
	Mary J. Metcalf.....	10	32	13	89	1	5
	Mary J. Metcalf.....	10	32	20	97	3	5
Primary.....	Christine J. Pease.....	15	48	50	89	4	11
	Christine J. Pease.....	11	48	47	89	0	18
	Christine J. Pease.....	12	48	46	93	4	5
Sec. Primary...	Anna L. Childs.....	15	32	19	94	0	4
	Anna L. Childs.....	11	32	17	92	3	5
	Anna L. Childs.....	12	32	13	97	2	4
Intermediate...	Dorothy P. Walker.....	15	48	30	92	0	14
	Dorothy P. Walker.....	11	48	29	91	2	10
	Dorothy P. Walker.....	12	48	26	95	0	5
Grammar.....	Lena B. Merrick.....	15	52+	22	96	0	9
	Lena B. Merrick.....	11	52+	22	96	3	17
	Lena B. Merrick.....	12	52+	21	98	1	13
High School....	F. M. Armstrong.....	15	121+	35	93		1
	F. M. Armstrong.....	11	121+	33	92		15
	F. M. Armstrong.....	12	121+	32	91		6

REPORT OF SCHOOL DISTRICT TREASURER.

C. B. CHILDS, Treasurer of Henniker School District, charges himself as follows:

Cash on hand February 16, 1914.....	\$818.35
Received from—	
1914.	
April 7. Town treasurer, dog money.....	237.60
25. Town treasurer, school money.....	500.00
25. Town treasurer, insurance approp- riation	50.00
May 20. Town treasurer, school money....	500.00
June 18. Town treasurer, school money....	600.00
Oct. 9. Town treasurer, school money....	500.00
Nov. 6. Town treasurer, school money....	600.00
20. Town treasurer, school money....	600.00
Dec. 18. Town treasurer, school money....	250.00
24. Town treasurer, school money....	500.00
1915.	
Jan. 9. Town treasurer, state appropriation	345.00
Feb. 8. George H. Sanborn, tuition.....	55.80
10. Town treasurer, balance school money	950.00
10. Town treasurer, literary fund.....	149.82
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	\$6,656.57

And credits himself with the following expenditures:

Paid teachers' salaries	\$4,496.17
janitor service	287.80
fuel	475.99
transportation of scholars	196.80
insurance	50.00
tuition	30.00
electric lights	12.00
repairing clocks	2.75
cleaning Central house and grounds....	48.40
water rent	40.00
Preston Bros., supplies	14.42
postage and printing	4.07
repairs of schoolhouses	35.90
Cash on hand February 15, 1915.....	962.27
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	\$6,656.57

SUPPLIES ACCOUNT.

C. B. CHILDS, Treasurer, charges himself as follows:*

Cash on hand February 15, 1914.....	\$4.22
Received from—	
1914.	
April 25. Town treasurer	\$100.00
1915.	
Jan. 15. Town treasurer	200.00
Feb. 8. George H. Sanborn, supplies sold..	.58
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	\$304.80

And credits himself with the following:

Paid—		
Mar. 24.	Lena B. Merrick, "Current Events"	\$3.00
April 8.	Houghton, Mifflin Co.....	10.25
	American Book Co.....	3.20
	J. L. Hammett Co.....	.43
	Edward E. Babb & Co.....	2.31
	George H. Sanborn.....	15.00
10.	J. P. Melzer.....	2.55
13.	Esterbrook Pen Co.....	1.75
	American Book Co.....	2.48
June 3.	J. L. Hammett Co.....	16.26
25.	Howard & Brown.....	1.60
	A. E. Marshall.....	3.88
Nov. 7.	J. L. Hammett Co.....	25.30
	Esterbrook Pen Co.....	1.75
	Ginn & Co.....	22.68
	University Book Store.....	1.45
	Allyn & Bacon.....	6.55
	American Book Co.....	4.72
	D. C. Heath & Co.....	7.62
	Lyons & Carnahan.....	4.08
	Houghton, Mifflin Co.....	3.69
Dec. 24.	American Book Co.....	2.35
	J. L. Hammett Co.....	28.42
	D. C. Heath & Co.....	2.75
Jan 2.	Allyn & Bacon.....	9.80
	J. P. Melzer.....	3.15
Dec. 4.	Lena B. Merrick, "Current Events"	3.00
Feb. 16.	George H. Sanborn, care of supplies	15.00

Feb. 16.	George H. Sanborn, freight and ex- press	\$1.26
	George H. Sanborn, postage.....	1.70
	J. L. Hammett & Co.....	8.52
	Ginn & Co.....	59.65
Cash on hand February 15, 1915.....		15.65
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		\$304.80

SALARIES ACCOUNT.

C. B. CHILDS, Treasurer, charges himself as follows:

Cash on hand February 16, 1914.....	\$10.92
1915.	
Jan. 9. Received of town treasurer.....	150.00
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	\$160.92

And credits himself as follows:

1914.

Paid—

Oct. 13.	J. H. Falvey, enumerating scholars	\$12.00
Feb. 10.	George H. Sanborn, school board..	35.00
12.	George H. Dodge, school board....	41.05
	J. C. Cogswell, school board.....	15.00
	C. B. Childs, treasurer.....	25.00
Cash on hand February 15, 1915.....		32.87
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		\$160.92

C. B. CHILDS,
Treasurer.

We hereby certify that we have examined the foregoing account of C. B. Childs, treasurer of Henniker School District, and find the same correctly cast and properly vouched.

W. O. FOLSOM,
W. A. CONNOR,
G. E. CHADWICK,
Auditors.

HENNIKER, N. H., February 15, 1915.

REPORT OF SCHOOL BUILDING COMMITTEE.

The undersigned committee, chosen to remodel and repair the central school building, submit the following report:

Entering upon the duties of our office, we advertised for bids to carry out the specifications recommended by Mr. Chickering at the school meeting, appropriating \$7,000 for the remodeling of the school building.

We received several bids, the lowest being over \$9,000, while others were over \$13,000. We then saw it was impossible to do all that was anticipated in those plans. After due consideration your committee adopted a plan with a view of bringing the cost within the appropriation of \$7,000. Mr. W. N. Carnes was employed to take charge of the work, and we believe discharged his duties faithfully. Notwithstanding our determination to complete the work for the amount mentioned, grading and other extra and unforeseen expenses obliged us to expend the sum of \$7,400, and we ask the district at its annual meeting to provide for the payment of the extra \$400, without which the work would have been incomplete.

How well we have done our duty we leave to those who will examine the present school building and note its completeness in every particular to meet the requirements of the people of Henniker. We believe it is a thorough job and will accommodate the school for years to come. Following is a detailed report of the treasurer to show what was done with your money.

Respectfully submitted,
C. A. WILKINS,
EDWARD CONNELLY,
A. G. PRESTON,
G. H. SANBORN,
G. H. DODGE,
J. C. COGSWELL,
Committee.

REPORT OF TREASURER OF BUILDING COMMITTEE.

GEORGE H. DODGE, as Treasurer of Building Committee, submits the following report:

RECEIPTS.

Hired from sundry persons on notes of the district signed by school board.....	\$5,800.00
Received from—	
George H. Dodge on note of building committee	400.00
W. N. Carnes, for brick.....	10.00
J. K. Burnham, for old windows.....	.40
Max Israel, for old iron.....	5.00
John Savage, for old tin.....	1.00
W. T. Whitney, for piano box.....	.50
Town treasurer, raised in 1913.....	600.00
Town treasurer, raised in 1914.....	600.00
Total receipts	<hr/> \$7,416.90

EXPENDITURES.

Paid—

Geo. W. Chickering, architect's plan....	\$275.00
Manchester Daily Union for advertising	6.40
W. O. Folsom, insurance (builder's risk)	10.00
S. Q. A. Newton, for lumber.....	53.58
West Side Lumber Co., lumber.....	996.25
Kendall, Hadley & Co., windows.....	102.58
E. E. Babb & Co., for slating.....	73.01
W. A. Balch, for shingles.....	280.00
Preston Bros. Co., for paint, cement, lumber, hardware, etc.	618.27
W. F. Head & Son, for brick.....	99.00
Burlington Venetian Blind Co., for inside blinds	76.25
J. E. Marshall, wiring and telephones..	100.99
J. L. Armstrong, blacksmith work....	5.45
J. B. Varick Co., hardware.....	21.93

Derryfield Co., windows.....	\$7.50
H. W. Searles, for trucking.....	\$7.75
Edward Connelly, tinning roofs, etc....	48.04
Edward Connelly, copper gutters.....	23.37
Edward Connelly, heating plant.....	1,137.36
C. A. Wilkins, for lumber, varnish, etc.	18.67
F. R. Atwood, for lumber.....	16.17
Sears, Roebuck & Co., school furniture..	87.29
W. N. Carnes, for labor, freight and cash paid	3,204.26
Sundry persons for labor, seven bills....	130.05
Cash on hand	17.73
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	\$7,416.90

DISTRICT NOTES OUTSTANDING.

When given.

July	3.	George H. Dodge.....	\$2,000.00
May	5.	Alonzo Robbins	1,000.00
Sept.	1.	J. C. Cogswell.....	500.00
Sept.	1.	Ada Carr Dodge.....	500.00
Sept.	8.	George H. Dodge.....	1,000.00
Sept.	25.	Ada Carr Dodge.....	800.00
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			\$5,800.00

Oct.	14.	George H. Dodge, note signed by building committee...	\$400.00
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We hereby certify that we have examined the foregoing accounts of George H. Dodge, treasurer of the building committee, and find the same correctly cast and properly vouched.

W. O. FOLSOM,
W. A. CONNOR,
G. E. CHADWICK,
Auditors.

TUCKER FREE LIBRARY.

REPORT OF LIBRARIAN.

February 15, 1915.

A large cabinet, owned by the library, has been placed in the historical room and filled with the collection owned by Mr. A. D. Huntoon, together with other valuable articles, loaned by friends of the library. It fills one side of the room, and people will find much to interest and entertain them in the contents of the shelves. A catalogue of the articles will be furnished in the near future.

Forty-nine books have been given to the library during the past year, of which 32 are solid reading; 11 books on Christian Science, given by the estate of Mary Baker Eddy; 9 books given by Mrs. Alice Colby; 3 books given by Mrs. Abbie Webster; 3 books given by the Woman's Reading Club; 2 given by Mrs. Robinson; 1 each from Dr. G. H. Sanborn, Rev. C. N. Gleason, Herbert Keyser, Slason Thompson; 8 from the U. S. government; 5 from the Telephone & Telegraph Co.; 4 from the state of New Hampshire. The magazine, "Technical World," has been given by S. E. Huntington, also the "Mother's Magazine," given by Mrs. Sherrod Jameson; also "The Magnificat," given for the reading table by Mrs. Edward Connelly. To all these kind friends the trustees extend their most sincere thanks.

Two hundred and seventy books have been purchased, including many of the late publications; 25 books have been replaced; 56 books have been rebound, and 108 books have been repaired by the librarians.

The magazines taken by the library are the Century, Scribner's, Harper's, Harper's Bazar, Harper's Weekly.

Scientific American and Supplement, Review of Reviews, North American Review, The World's Work, McClure's American, Munsey, Hearst's, Saturday Evening Post, Delineator, Outing, St. Nicholas, Little Folks, Country Life, Garden, Literary Digest, Collier's, Everybody's, Cosmopolitan, Good Housekeeping.

Total amount received from fines, etc.....	\$19.66
Expenses	\$15.21
Total output during year.....	11,470
Reference	341
Solid	359
Juvenile	1,026
Magazines	1,948
Fiction	8,154
Visitors	346

Respectfully submitted,
 JENNIE N. DODGE, *Librarian.*
 M. MARION COLE, *Assistant Librarian.*

FINANCIAL STANDING OF TUCKER FREE LIBRARY.

As per George C. Preston's report as treasurer, February 15, 1915.

The following are the securities held as trust funds, income to be used to pay annuities and library expenses:

BONDS.

	Par Value.	Book Value.
3 Tampa and Northern R. R.	\$3,000.00	\$3,000.00
4 United Gas and Electric Co.	4,000.00	4,000.00
2 Conn. River Power Co.....	2,000.00	2,000.00
2 City of Portland.....	2,000.00	2,200.00
1 Atlanta and Birmingham..	1,000.00	1,000.00
8 Laconia Gas and Electric...	4,000.00	4,100.00
2 N. C. Electric Co.....	2,000.00	2,000.00
3 Metropolitan S. S. Co.....	3,000.00	3,000.00
1 Ashuelot Gas and Electric..	500.00	500.00

STOCKS.

15 Underwriters Insurance Co.	\$1,500.00	\$1,500.00
16 Suncook Valley R. R.....	1,600.00	1,500.00
10 Nashua Street R. R.....	1,000.00	1,350.00
27 C. & M. R. R. (Class 3)...	2,700.00	4,050.00
2 Bellows Falls Power Co...	200.00	200.00

DEPOSITED IN SAVINGS BANKS.

Manchester Savings Bank, book No. 83073	\$816.15
Merimack River Savings Bank, book No. 34656	851.42
Loan and Trust Savings Bank, book No. 21585	828.37
Amoskeag Savings Bank, book No. 80047	1,645.92
New Hampshire Savings Bank, book No. 50336	1,385.88
Amount of invested securities.....	<hr/> \$35,927.74

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES FOR THE YEAR ENDING
FEBRUARY 15, 1915.

RECEIPTS.

Cash on hand February 15, 1914.....	\$405.40
Town appropriation	212.20
Sale of paper stock.....	9.47
Interest on stocks and bonds.....	1,472.00
	<hr/> \$2,099.07

CASH PAID OUT.

1914.		
Feb. 17.	George H. Moore, wood.....	\$30.00
	H. W. Wilcox Co., magazines	6.00
	A. G. Preston, expense, au- ditors	7.50
23.	Arthur Graham, labor.....	1.75
28.	Edward Connelly, labor.....	6.15

Seven Henniker

April	1.	S. G. Tucker, annuity.....	\$100.00
		Sarah P. Morse, annuity.....	100.00
		Nancy Tucker, annuity.....	25.00
May	10.	F. R. Atwood, kindling.....	1.25
June	4.	Mechanics National Bank, rent deposit box	5.00
	11.	E. P. Dutton Co., books.....	7.60
	18.	W. C. Goss, sawing wood....	4.00
		Hillsboro Light and Power Co., light 6 months.....	23.81
July	1.	Jennie N. Dodge, librarian's salary	26.00
		M. Marion Cole, librarian's salary	26.00
		Carlton N. Dodge, janitor....	52.00
		S. G. Tucker, annuity.....	100.00
		Sarah P. Morse, annuity.....	100.00
		Nancy Tucker, annuity.....	25.00
	7.	Doubleday, Page & Co., books	5.44
	11.	DeWolf & Fiske Co., books..	96.21
	20.	Hillsboro Light & Power Co., lights	4.91
Aug.	3.	Doubleday, Page & Co., books	3.33
Oct.	1.	S. G. Tucker, annuity.....	100.00
		Sarah P. Morse, annuity.....	100.00
		Nancy Tucker, annuity.....	25.00
	29.	Hillsboro Light & Power Co., lights	12.93
Nov.	3.	S. C. Huntington, magazines	59.00
	4.	Farley, Harvey Co., equip- ment	25.28
	5.	The Barton Co., equipment..	5.96
	14.	F. A. Burnham, equipment (case)	96.00
		F. J. Barnard, rebinding....	15.31
Dec.	4.	Edward Connelly, repairs....	1.55
	8.	DeWolf & Fiske Co., books..	120.87
	14.	A. G. Preston, wood.....	4.00
	15.	S. G. Tucker, annuity.....	100.00
	18.	Sarah P. Morse, annuity....	100.00

Dec.	18.	Nancy Tucker, annuity.....	\$25.00
		Jennie N. Dodge, librarian's salary	26.00
		M. Marion Cole, librarian's salary	26.00
		Carlton N. Dodge, librarian's salary	52.00
	17.	Hillsboro Light & Power Co., lights	12.00
	23.	H. L. Holmes, water rent...	3.00
	24.	W. C. Goss, sawing wood....	3.25
	26.	M. H. Bennett, wood.....	12.50
		Preston Bros. Co., supplies..	3.61
		P. E. Carter, wood.....	13.75
		G. L. Allen, repairing picture	1.00
Jan.	1.	Cash on hand.....	398.11
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			\$2,099.07

Summarized as follows:

Cash on hand February 15, 1914.....	\$405.40
Received town appropriation.....	212.20
Sale paper stock.....	9.47
Interest on stocks and bonds.....	1,472.00
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	\$2,099.07
 Paid annuities	 \$900.00
new books	233.45
janitor service	104.00
fuel	70.50
electric light	53.65
magazine subscriptions	65.00
miscellaneous	16.11
water rent	3.00
librarian's salaries	104.00
new equipment and repair	135.94
rebinding books	15.31
Cash on hand to balance.....	398.11
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	\$2,099.07

The attention of the patrons of the library is called to the collection of curios, relics and antiques recently added to the exhibition room, and contained in a new and attractive display case on the east side of the room.

The acquisition of this valuable and instructive exhibit was made possible through the generosity and untiring efforts of Mr. A. D. Huntoon.

Mr. Huntoon's personal collection forms a large part of the exhibit, the remainder being solicited by him from our townspeople.

A great deal of time, thought and study was expended in collecting, arranging and cataloguing the hundreds of articles comprising the exhibit.

We wish at this time to express our appreciation and thanks to Mr. Huntoon, and the many friends who kindly and generously contributed to this added attraction of our library.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

GEORGE C. PRESTON,
Treasurer.

STATISTICAL TABLES.

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF HENNIKER FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1914.

Date.	Place of Marriage.	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride.	Residence of Each at Time of Marriage.	Age	Occupation of Groom and Bride.	Place of Birth of Each.	Names of Parents.	Name, Residence and Official Station of Person by Whom Married.
1914. Feb. 8	Boston, Mass...	William G. Bishopric Frances E. Parmenter	Henniker, N. H. Henniker, N. H.	21 18	Painter	Ayer, Mass..... Hancock, Vt.....	John B. Bishopric.. Mary O'Neill	Everett C. Herrick, Clergyman, Boston, Mass.
May 14	Henniker, N. H.	Leonard Shawcross.. Bessie Mae Beard...	Tyngsboro, Mass. Henniker, N. H.	25 25	Manufacturer Teacher	England Henniker, N. H.	Harriett E. Martin.. William Shawcross.. Jane Dawson	Robert W. Wallace, Clergyman, Hillsborough, N. H.
May 30	Henniker, N. H.	George F. Savage..... Minnie E. Wells.....	Henniker, N. H. Henniker, N. H.	25 25	Papermaker	Orford, N. H..... Danbury, N. H...	Thomas T. Savage.. Ida R. Mack..... Charles Wells	Edwin B. Young, Clergyman, Henniker, N. H.
June 29	Henniker, N. H.	Chas. W. Colby, Jr.. Sarah Taylor	Henniker, N. H. Lawrence, Mass..	21 23	Chauffeur Weaver	Concord, N. H.... Bradford, Eng....	Charles W. Colby.. Lizzie Sullivan	Edwin B. Young, Clergyman, Henniker, N. H.
Sept. 16	Henniker, N. H.	Harold W. Shelton.. Eleanor A. Wilkins..	Henniker, N. H. Henniker, N. H.	24 24	R. R. clerk	S. Orrington, Me.. Campbell, S. D...	Frederick W. Shelton.. Dora M. Conant.... Charles A. Wilkins...	Edwin B. Young, Clergyman, Henniker, N. H.
Oct. 3	Henniker, N. H.	Leon H. Clark..... Alma H. Novin.....	Henniker, N. H. Henniker, N. H.	20 19	Sawyer	Belfast, Me..... Fjelle, Sweden...	Eleanor S. Howell.. Josephine Clark.... Brandt Novin	Edwin B. Young, Clergyman, Henniker, N. H.
Nov. 25	Concord, N. H.	Fred C. Annis..... Julia K. Vaughan....	Henniker, N. H. Belfast, Me.....	32 25	Chauffeur Teacher	Henniker, N. H. Owasco, N. Y....	Hannah Hanson .. Frank P. Annis..... Hattie M. Childs...	Archibald Black, Clergyman, Concord, N. H.
Nov. 26	Henniker, N. H.	Charles E. Savage.... Elizabeth Larabee...	Henniker, N. H. Henniker, N. H.	22 30	Laborer	Orford, N. H.... Roxbury, Vt. ...	John E. Van Housen.. Sadie Carter	Edwin B. Young, Clergyman, Henniker, N. H.
Dec. 29	Berlin, N. H.	Wm. F. Huntington.. Maysel E. Curtis....	Henniker, N. H. Berlin, N. H.	24 21	Farmer Teacher	Henniker, N. H. Dummer, N. H...	Mary E. McDonald.. Dana E. Huntington.. Cora E. Gale..... Alfonzo Curtis	Edward W. Moore, Clergyman, Berlin, N. H.

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WALTER N. WHITNEY, Town Clerk.

Date of Birth.	Name of Child (if any).	Male or Fem.	Lying or Stillborn.	No. of Child.	Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.
Jan. 23	Irene J.	F.	L.	1	Fred W. Ashby.....	Bessie O'Rourke.....	Farmer	Washington, N. H....	Ireland.
Feb. 25	Clayton, Frank	M.	L.	2	Frank C. Goss.....	Alice B. Chivell.....	Farmer	Heniker, N. H....	North Grotton, N. H.
March 31	Beatrice Emma.....	F.	L.	5	Alfred R. Rowe.....	Mary C. Brown.....	Farmer	Heniker, N. H....	Hillsborough, N. H.
April 12	Beulah Daphne.....	F.	L.	2	George H. Rogers.....	Mary I. Barnes.....	Carpenter	Bennington, N. H....	Stockbridge, Mass.
April 14	Weston Ernest.....	M.	L.	3	Joseph W. McEvoy....	Emma L. French.....	Section foreman.	Nova Scotia	Rindge, N. H.
April 15	Barbara May	F.	L.	1	Knute Forsburg.....	Helen May Clark.....	Rim maker	Proctor, Vt.	Nashua, N. H.
April 16	Francis James.....	M.	L.	4	James A. Parmenter ..	Emily B. Peaslee.....	Teamster	Pittsfield, Vt.	Heniker, N. H.
April 27	Ralph McKay	M.	L.	1	Archie Kilpatrick....	Ethel May Buxton....	Rim maker	Glasgow, Scotland	Heniker, N. H.
June 1	Ethel May	F.	L.	7	Fred H. Griffin.....	Nettie L. Mack.....	Rim maker	Sutton, N. H....	Piermont, N. H.
June 2	Annie Louise	F.	L.	1	Cecil E. Hatch.....	Della N. Saunders....	Farmer	No. Sandwich, N. H.	Orford, N. H.
June 8	Agnes Etta	F.	L.	11	Abraham Greenwood	Georgia E. Montfith..	Painter	Canada	Canada.
June 15	.....	F.	S.	1	Wm. G. Bishopric....	Frances E. Parmenter	Rim maker	Ayer, Mass.	Pittsfield, Vt.
June 16	.....	M.	S.	1	Wilbur J. Parmenter ..	Emily C. Wells.....	Clerk	Pittsfield, Vt.	Lisbon, N. H.
June 16	.....	M.	S.	2	Wilbur J. Parmenter ..	Annie C. Wells.....	Clerk	Pittsfield, Vt.	Lisbon, N. H.
June 19	Earl Alberto	M.	L.	2	Lophia G. Heselton....	Ruth Adams	Rim cutter	Bradford, N. H....	Bradford, N. H.
June 24	Earle Walker	M.	L.	3	Elwin T. Bacon.....	Mabel E. Emerson....	Farmer	Heniker, N. H....	Peterborough, N. H.
July 6	Phyllis Elhora	F.	L.	3	Harry L. Tucker.....	Una Mae Boynton....	Rim maker	Hopkinton, N. H....	Weare, N. H.
July 13	Dorothy Mae	M.	L.	2	Frank L. Durgin.....	Ethel L. Furness....	Farmer	Wilnot, N. H....	Chelsea, Mass.
July 23	Robert LeRoy	M.	L.	2	Wilbur L. Clark.....	Altha M. Rowe.....	Fireman	Belmont, Me.	Bradford, N. H.
July 24	Eleanor Etta	F.	L.	1	Herbert E. Fowler....	Dora M. Lewis.....	Farmer	Newbury, N. H....	Windsor, N. H.
Aug. 2	Gwendolyn Isabel ..	F.	L.	3	Willbur S. Carnes....	Grace C. Page.....	Carpenter	Heniker, N. H....	So. Braintree, Mass.
Aug. 5	Calvin Edwin	M.	L.	2	Willis E. Robinson....	Mand Moody	Farmer	Hollis, N. H....	Sutton, N. H.
Aug. 7	Elsie Louise	F.	L.	2	Herbert Rand	Blanche Stickney....	Farmer	Hopkinton, N. H....	Townsend, Mass.
Sept. 1	Nellie Frances	F.	L.	3	Frank H. Ward.....	Katherine Cavanaugh	Box maker	Bradford, N. H....	Manchester, N. H.
Sept. 2	Annel May	F.	L.	5	Harry G. Matthews....	Ethel C. Wood.....	Farmer	Manchester, N. H....	Hillsborough, N. H.
Sept. 12	Varel Morrison	M.	L.	3	Morrison H. Peaslee ..	Etta E. Hodge.....	Section foreman.	Heniker, N. H....	Purchase, Can.
Sept. 24	Rodric Bruce	M.	L.	7	Loren N. Spaulding....	Louise B. Murray....	Signal foreman.	Newbury, N. H....	Lowell, Mass.
Oct. 31	Stanley Sherwood....	M.	L.	2	James H. Lynd.....	Carrie Farley.....	Farmer	Heniker, N. H....	Hillsborough, N. H.
Nov. 2	Bertied Russell	M.	L.	2	Elgin S. Bacon.....	Jennie M. Russell....	Carpenter	Toronto, Can.	Heniker, N. H.
Dec. 4	Eli Solomon	M.	L.	5	Bertred Bishopric....	Dorothy Shanker....	Junk dealer	Russia	Russia.
Dec. 18	Clara E. Cogswell....	F.	L.	3	Max Israel	Viola M. Flanders....	Stone mason	Heniker, N. H....	Heniker, N. H.
Dec. 26	F.	L.	1
Dec. 29	Charles Harry	M.	L.	2	Frank P. Flanders....	Heniker, N. H....	Warner, N. H.

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WALTER N. WHITNEY, Town Clerk.

DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF HENNIKER FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1914.

Date.	Place of Death.	Name and Surname of the Deceased.	Age.			Place of Birth.	Male or Fem.	Single, Mar. or Wid.	Occupation.	Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.
			Years.	Months.	Days.						
Jan. 6	Henniker, N. H.	Carl T. Robertson....	14	6	26	Henniker, N. H.	M.	S.	Schoolboy	Charles D. Robertson	Hattie Bartlett.
Jan. 8	Potter Pl., N. H.	Franklin W. Hale....	62	4	14	Henniker, N. H.	M.	M.	Merchant	Robert C. Hale....	Abigail Eaton.
Jan. 11	Henniker, N. H.	Loren W. Mooney....	53	2	12	Holderness, N. H.	M.	M.	Carpenter	George W. Mooney..	Phebe Palmer.
Jan. 28	Sunapee, N. H.	Clara M. Gregg....	67	8	25	Warner, N. H.	F.	F.	.....	Theodore Waldron...	Fannie Smith.
Jan. 29	Henniker, N. H.	M'y R. C. Wadsworth	88	3	10	Henniker, N. H.	F.	F.	.....	Abraham Chase ....	.....
Feb. 24	Boscawen, N. H.	Harriett E. Wood....	86	0	0	.....	F.	F.	.....	Samuel Kimball ....	.....
Feb. 26	Henniker, N. H.	Betsy E. Flanders...	75	1	24	Henniker, N. H.	F.	F.	Farmer	Jonathan Emery	Betsy Muzzey.
Mar. 1	Henniker, N. H.	Josiah W. Emery....	65	1	0	E. Ando'r, N. H.	M.	M.	Printer	Zacharik Boody	Abigail Watson.
Mar. 8	Henniker, N. H.	Charles A. Manley....	49	11	3	Straford, N. H.	M.	M.	Farmer	Zenas Matthews	Martha Vose.
Mar. 19	Henniker, N. H.	John O. Boody....	71	3	20	Danville, Conn.	M.	M.	.....	William Nichols....	Abbie Coombs.
Apr. 1	Henniker, N. H.	Norman Matthews...	88	0	7	.....	M.	M.	Retired	Franklin H. Peaslee.	Ascenath D. Smith.
Apr. 18	Sutton, N. H.	William D. Harwood..	77	1	2	.....	M.	M.	Toy mfr.	James Wilkins....	Sarah Fulton.
May 10	Newport, N. H.	Grace L. Gregg....	41	2	9	Ashby, Mass.	F.	F.	.....	Jas. A. Farmer....	E. Bernice Peaslee.
May 12	Henniker, N. H.	Charles A. Nichols...	69	7	0	Ware, N. H.	M.	M.	.....	Cecil E. Hatch....	Della Saunders.
May 22	Henniker, N. H.	Howard W. Peaslee..	47	9	12	Deering, N. H.	F.	F.	.....	Levi S. Connor....	Abbie Taylor.
May 23	Concord, N. H.	Sarah W. Pillsbury..	85	0	1	Henniker, N. H.	F.	F.	Farmer	Wm. G. Bishopric...	Fran's E. Parmenter.
May 28	Henniker, N. H.	Frances J. Parmenter	0	1	14	Henniker, N. H.	F.	F.	.....	Wilbur J. Parmenter	Emily C. Wells.
June 3	Henniker, N. H.	Annie Louise Hatch..	24	1	0	Henniker, N. H.	F.	F.	.....	Alonzo Patterson...	Caroline E. Wood.
June 8	Henniker, N. H.	Arthur L. Connor....	24	1	3	Henniker, N. H.	F.	F.	.....	Robert Colby	Lovey Carter.
June 15	Henniker, N. H.	(Infant) Bishopric...	0	0	13	Bradford, N. H.	F.	F.	Farmer	Abraham Colby	Adlin Kimball.
June 16	Henniker, N. H.	(Infant) Parmenter...	0	0	24	Londond'y, N. H.	F.	F.	.....	Herbert Rand	Maud Moody.
June 16	Henniker, N. H.	(Infant) Parmenter...	0	0	3	Henniker, N. H.	F.	F.	Teamster	George E. Halladay..	Ellen S. Ward.
July 2	Lawrence, Mass.	Georginna Patterson..	66	11	12	Warner, N. H.	F.	F.	.....	Frank L. Durgin....	Una M. Byrnton.
July 12	Henniker, N. H.	Rosannah C. Rice....	79	2	8	Henniker, N. H.	F.	F.	.....	Lenard Spaulding...	Harriet Siloway.
July 17	Henniker, N. H.	Abraham P. Colby....	78	2	15	Plainfield, N. H.	M.	M.	.....	Pedro Corso ....	.....
Aug. 10	Henniker, N. H.	Elsie Louise Rand....	43	7	0	Petrano, Italy	F.	F.	.....	Charles F. Targee...	Theresa Sarsfield.
Aug. 11	Henniker, N. H.	Dorothy M. Durgin...	47	0	8	Manchester, N. H.	M.	M.	.....	Nathaniel Noyes...	Bathsaba Sargent.
Aug. 23	Henniker, N. H.	Lucinda J. Strobridge	87	0	24	Henniker, N. H.	M.	M.	.....	Orren A. Manning...	Martha Meers.
Sept. 9	Henniker, N. H.	Panfilo Corso	48	0	29	Read's F'y, N. H.	F.	F.	.....	.....	.....
Nov. 17	Henniker, N. H.	Charles C. Targee....	77	7	7	.....	M.	M.	.....	.....	.....
Nov. 28	Nat'l City, Cal.	Oliver H. Noyes....	77	7	7	M.	M.
Dec. 8	Henniker, N. H.	Jennie D. McBride....	44	7	7	F.	F.

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WALTER N. WHITNEY, Town Clerk.

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